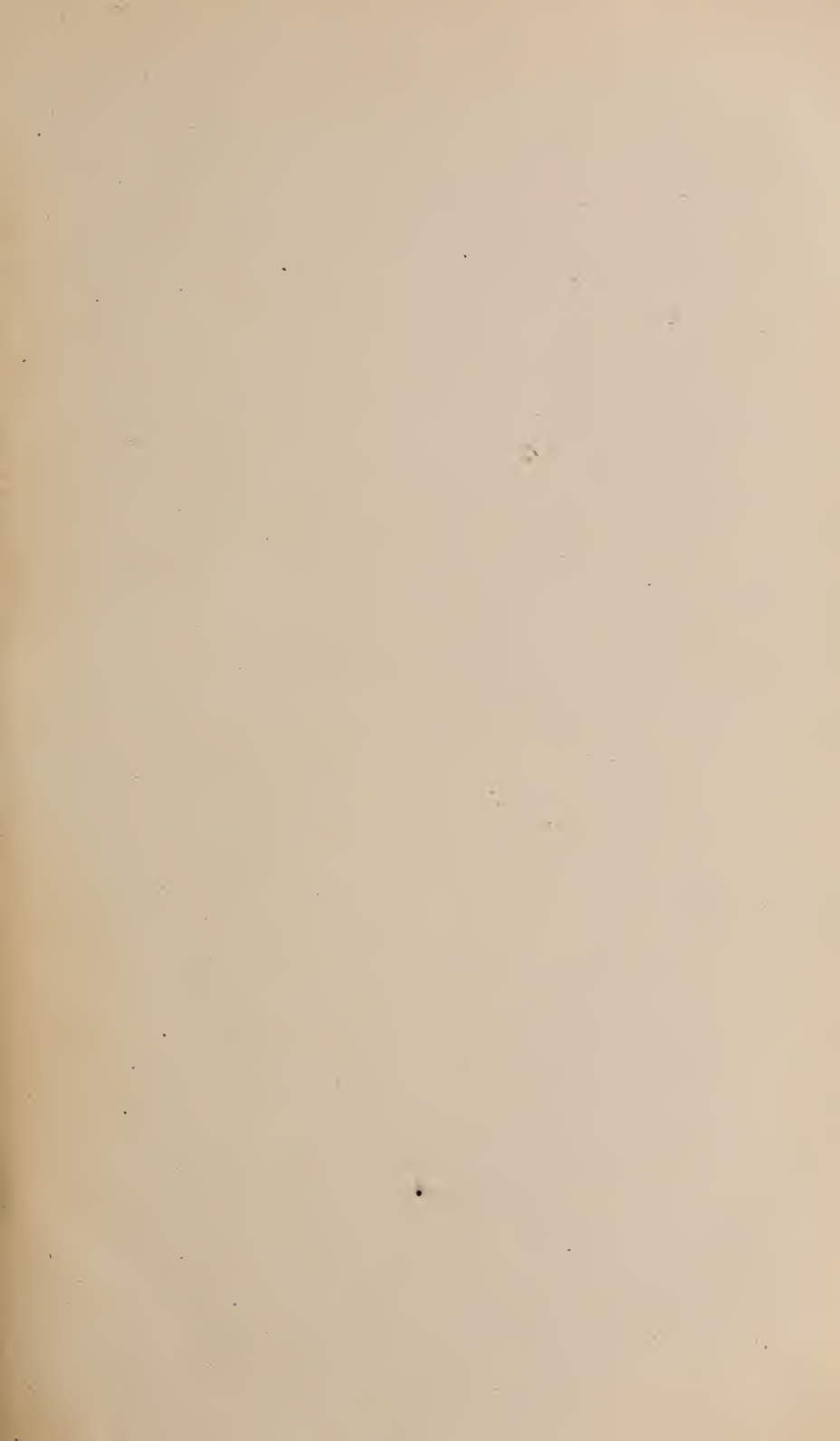
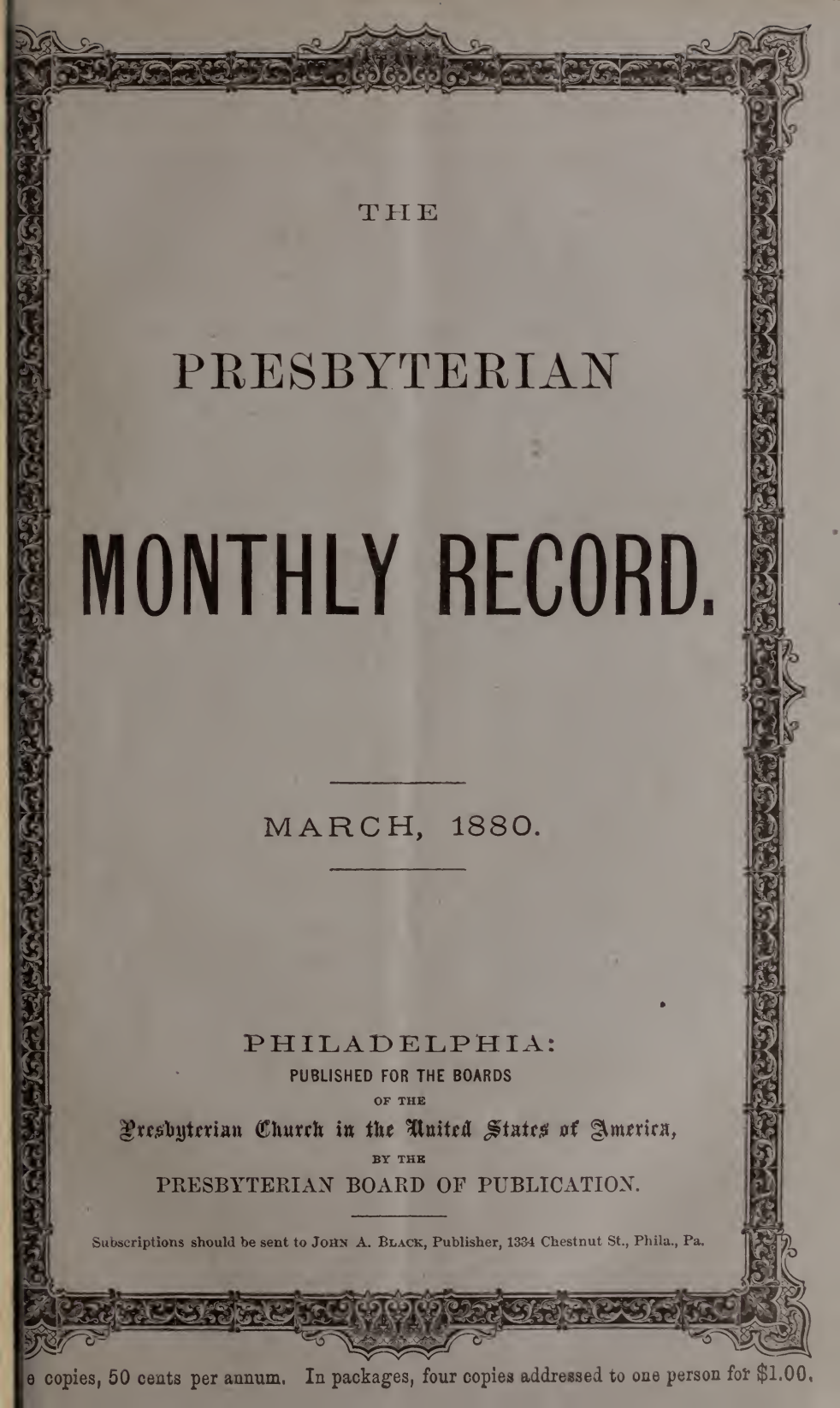


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It is recommended that a Church Contribution be made on the first Lord's Day of eight months of the year, annually, as follows:

1. Foreign Missions, January.
2. Sustentation, March.
3. Publication, May.
4. Church Erection, July.
5. Ministerial Relief, September.
6. Education, October.
7. Home Missions, November.
8. Freedmen, December.

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## BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS.

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### SUSTENTATION.

The month of March has been designated by the General Assembly as the time for the churches that have not already done so to make their contributions to Sustentation.

There has been still farther advance made, during the present year, in the number of pastorates in this department. Last year there were 137, this year there will, probably, be not less than 200. An increasing number of churches apply for \$1000 or more under Sustentation; but, inasmuch as the minimum amount—\$900—is so much in excess of the ordinary Home Mission salaries, the Board has thought best, except in very extreme cases, not to go beyond that amount. By such an arrangement the pastor in a rural district has really a better salary than another in the city; but the number of city pastors is so small that we have not thought it advisable to make them any exception to the general rule.

A large number of churches asking for a renewal of commissions for their pastors, ask for the same amount they had last year. This is quite contrary to the whole genius of Sustentation. The larger salary is given on Sustentation expressly on the expectation that the church will give toward self-support to the extent of at least \$50 a year. So the pastors in all those cases will understand why their commissions are drawn accordingly.

Nevertheless, the number of Sustentation pastorates grows continually, and we hope for generous contributions to the treasury of that department during the month of March. This treasury is distinct from the Home Missionary treasury, and funds contributed to the latter cannot be used for the former. We need funds enough in March for Sustentation to carry us to March the next year.

## OUR FINANCIAL CONDITION.

But one month more remains to complete our fiscal year. Our debt, February 1, was \$50,000. Two years past we have closed the year with a balance against us. It is very important that we close this year without a debt. A debt disheartens the young men in the seminaries, who, otherwise, would enter the home missionary field, and it cripples the energies of the Board.

Nearly 2000 of our churches gave nothing to Home Missions last year. We hope some of them have suffered such remorse on that account that they will come to our help this year.

The Presbyterian Home Missionary Committees did us most excellent service last year. We gave them each a list of the delinquent churches in their bounds, with which they promptly entered into correspondence, and the results were a joyful surprise to themselves and to us. Their labors were gratefully acknowledged in the last Annual Report as follows:—

“We are greatly indebted to the Chairmen of our Presbyterian Home Missionary Committees and stated Clerks, for their prompt yet gratuitous assistance in this emergency. They did much, in the bounds of their respective Presbyteries, to secure collections from the delinquent churches. We owe them our thanks, and have learned to whom to turn if a similar exigency should again arise. And though we close the year with a debt of considerable magnitude, our receipts are \$17,366 more than last year; and our friends, when once aroused, have shown such courage and zeal that we cannot doubt their willingness to enable us to prosecute the work with vigor in time to come.”

We appeal to them again this year, and ask their most helpful yet gratuitous service once more.

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A WORD WITH THE PRESBYTERIES.

At the January meeting of the Board there were 65 applications for a renewal of commissions for another year; 17 asked for more than they had last year, 42 for the same amount they had last year, and only 6 for less.

At this rate it is evident that our list of Home Mission churches is bound to grow larger and larger, year after year, for an indefinite period. The whole theory of Home Missions proceeds on the supposition that the churches aided will grow larger and larger, and be able to help themselves more and more, every succeeding year. The Sustentation plan, as has been said, formulates the idea and makes it a condition, except in very rare cases, that the aid granted after the first year shall be



graded down at least \$50 annually. The same general idea lies at the basis of the Home Missionary department.

The salaries are, many of them, too small. We would make them larger if we could. But with the great growth of the new West and its pressing and increasing claims on us for more missionaries, we beg of the Presbyteries to turn their immediate attention to the development of the resources of the congregations, the devising of ways and means to increase the amounts raised by the churches for their pastors. In this year of great prosperity, if the churches cannot give more than last year, then is their condition sad indeed, if not wellnigh hopeless.

Judicious grouping of feeble churches, wise enlargement of fields, and well-directed suggestions to the younger missionaries as to self-help, would also be in order. At all events, we beg of the Presbyteries to give earnest attention to the matter of increasing the churches' share of the ministerial stipend.

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#### EDITORIAL NOTES.

We call special attention to the report of our pioneer missionary in Utah, Rev. D. J. McMillan, and of Rev. A. M. Darley concerning the 20,000 Mexicans in southern Colorado.

We can print but a part of Mr. McMillan's letter, but he joins all the brethren in that Territory in calling the present aspect of our work there most encouraging and hopeful. He pleads for the enlargement of our work there, and calls for four men and eight teachers for important fields hitherto unoccupied. The letters of Mr. Darley and Mrs. Sharon are equally emphatic as to a "wide and effectual" door open to us for Mexican work. The harvest is indeed ripe on every hand; where are the reapers?

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#### PLEASANT NOTES FROM OUR FRIENDS.

The following cheering letters are brief and to the purpose:—

"KINGSBORO', FULTON Co., N. Y., *January 21, 1880.*

"Enclosed I send draft for \$50, which please add to the \$200 already sent by the Kingsboro' Church. Our people have been stimulated to make up their contribution to the sum of \$250 in expectation thereby of supporting some one missionary, of knowing his field of labor, and of being in communication with him.

Yours very truly,

"J. C. BOYD."

"BRIDGEPORT, CONN., *January 22, 1880.*

"The printed circular relating to the Home Missionary work was duly received and noted. Enclosed please find \$250 toward the fund for the purpose. The addition of territory and population west of Missouri clearly indicates the importance of joining in giving to the work.

Respectfully yours,

R. J. W."

FROM A LADY AND HER DAUGHTERS.

"NEW H., N. Y., January 22, 1880.

"MR. O. D. EATON.

"DEAR SIR:—Enclosed please find check of \$600, to help your good cause. To be acknowledged 'Friends, N. H.'"

"AUBURN, N. Y.

"Herewith I enclose draft for \$2500. You say that \$250 is the average support of a missionary. I concluded to take ten of them for a year. . . .

"Fraternally and truly yours, S. W."

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 THE MORMONS.

"MT. PLEASANT, UTAH, January 19, 1880.

"Six weeks have passed since the expiration of the third quarter of my present year. I have not willingly delayed my report for that quarter, for there are several reasons why I desired it to reach you early. But this has been a peculiar season, one of joyful, unremitting labor. A precious outpouring of the Spirit here in Mt. Pleasant in answer to nearly five years of earnest prayer has been in progress, so that every day, and every evening till near midnight, we were busy preaching, talking, praying, singing, reading and studying the Bible with some anxious, struggling soul, or facing the blasphemy of some pretended saint. It was wonderful! Here in this land, that seemed a veritable Tartarus when I began the experiment of preaching to Mormons,—here, where 20,000 people dwelt and *not a Christian among them*,—the Spirit has given us a second refreshing. Two years ago, at Manti, twelve were converted and moved to take a perilous stand for Christ; and now in Mt. Pleasant twenty-two have given the best evidence of regeneration—and the end is not yet.

"Early in November, Messrs. Franson and Frederickson, Swedish evangelists, came to Utah from Chicago. They labored a short time in Salt Lake City, and then, at my invitation, came to Mt. Pleasant. Their services in Swedish were bitterly opposed, but greatly blessed from the first. As the bitterness intensified the interest increased. The powers of darkness were arrayed against the Angel of Light. As the conflict deepened the result became more and more apparent. The evangelists visited other towns in this valley, but the work of grace continued on steadily here. Those who were moved to accept Christ were continually beset by Mormon priests and others, and were taunted and threatened and subjected to the vilest treatment. But they have all proved as firm as the solid rock on which they are building. It *costs something* to be a Christian here. I think all danger of violence is past; but it is easier to *suffer violence*, or even *death*, for a cause than to live in perpetual annoyance for it. Our services are all held in English, Danish, and Swedish; but these languages pertain only to the 'lip,' while underneath is the language of the new life in Christ which all understand. We have now in our church *eight* women who lead in prayer, and *four* men either of whom will lead a prayer-meeting. Fifteen were received at last communion, and seven have already signified

a desire to unite at next communion. Two elders and two deacons were elected January 11. Our Sabbath-school now numbers about 100; the day-school an equal number.

“The Mormons publicly announced their intention of petitioning ‘*the HEAD MAN OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH to remove McMillan from Mt. Pleasant.*’ That petition is now being circulated industriously.

“Misses Fishback and Pierce have worked hard and effectively, not only in the day-school and Sabbath-school, but also in connection with our evening meetings. Of the converts, nine come from the school, and there is good reason for believing that a number are restrained from making profession by home influences.

“OTHER POINTS.

“*Ephraim.*—We have had no school here this year, for several reasons: 1. There were not teachers enough for our schools in this valley, and I was afraid to increase the number until I could know whether those already at work would be supported by the Board. 2. The prevalence of scarlet fever and diphtheria, and the consequent municipal regulations against public gatherings and schools, closed our doors. 3. The need of another teacher at Mt. Pleasant, and Miss Fishback being the only available one, together with the demand for an evening school at Ephraim for gentlemen, which Miss F. thought it imprudent for her to undertake, and the hope that we might procure a gentleman for Ephraim, induced me to transfer Miss F. to Mt. Pleasant.

“At *Monroe* our school is doing well.

“*Nephi.*—This is a new point. The unfinished building erected by the M. E. church at a cost of \$2100 has been bought for \$1000, and entirely paid for, the deed for which is now in my possession, conveying the property to our Board of Church Erection. In October we opened a school under the instruction of Mr. H. C. McBurney, a member of the North Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, a young man of earnest piety and fine attainments. The school has enrolled twenty-three in spite of the lateness of its opening. The Sabbath-school numbers about thirty. Mr. McBurney holds a gospel meeting for young people once a month. I preach there as often as practicable.”

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“COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

“That this school has a very useful mission in this Territory there is no doubt, and its power lies in its moral as well as intellectual tone in the midst of this system of low standards of morals and education. Through the influence of Mr. Coyner, the superintendent, it is a *live, working* school, and the best energies of the teachers are devoted to its interests.

“We have now few *discouragements* in our work, owing, largely, to the political aspects of affairs here; and the earnest appeal we would make to our friends in this cause is to make it possible to enlarge the educational opportunities of this field. The outlook is hopeful, and certainly the people need the light. The children have little chance here except through the schools. They enter the Sabbath-school and the

Church through the day-schools. One of my boys said, a day or two since, 'We cannot afford not to come to Sabbath-school, for all intelligent people understand the Bible, and I don't want to belong to the class of people who don't.' Gradually they are brought to see its superiority as a code of morals over that which shows only evil in its fruits.

SARA J. IRWIN."

FROM THE SAME INSTITUTION.

"I have been connected with the Mission work in Utah but one month, but I can already see that it offers a wide field of usefulness. Most of our pupils are from irreligious families, and their knowledge of the Christian religion is largely dependent on the precepts and example of their teachers. Never before did I so realize the force of the words, 'Ye are my witnesses,' and I tremble lest my daily life should fail to convey to the children under my care a true idea of the patience and gentleness of the dear Master whom I wish to lead them to love and serve. Surely, if Christians at home understood our needs they would pray very earnestly for the teachers of Utah.

"Our pupils are bright, and eager for knowledge, and, as morning after morning I see them taking part in the daily Bible reading, joining in the sacred songs, or listening respectfully to the earnest, practical instruction of our faithful principal—instruction calculated not only to fit them to die, but also to teach them to live—I can but believe that many a taper will here be lighted that will, in the future, help to dispel the darkness of ignorance and falsehood that has hitherto rested over Utah.

MARY E. MOORE."

"SPRINGVILLE, UTAH, December 20, 1879.

"We are rejoicing in the completion of our new chapel; dedication, 28th inst. Wish you could be with us. Sermon A. M., by McMillan; evening, by Bird. 'Christmas tree' in new chapel evening of 24th. All well and happy. Miss Noble jubilant. Yesterday was last day in the old adobe. We are grateful to God and to *all* our friends. Please remember us on the 28th. All unite in a Happy New Year to you all.

"Very truly, &c.,

GEO. W. LEONARD."

"ANIMAS CITY, COLORADO.

"I walked between my appointments up the valley, and here, after this (fifteen miles), each time, and also preached once at Pine River—twenty miles. At the first of this quarter I felt not a little discouraged, on account of being obliged to be absent so much; but now, being here all the time, the people are pleased, and things are taking a splendid start forward. I received some new members, and the Sabbath-school began to flourish.

"Now it is truly marvellous how things are looking up. The people rally about the church as if they loved it. The new church building is scarcely big enough to hold the audience, and people will come and wait about an hour before time. We have good music and a grand Sunday-school, manned by an earnest working corps of teachers. We have just had a grand Christmas festival, and a large purse was raised for the

children's (S. S.) benefit and pleasure. Now they want to get a bell and inclose the church building. REV. W. C. BEEBEE."

## HOME MISSION APPOINTMENTS FOR DECEMBER AND JANUARY, 1879-1880.

*Of the following, sixteen are Sustentation Pastorates.*

Rev. P. M. Macdonald, Reading,	Mass.	Rev. B. Molenbeck, Alto, Holland,	Wis.
Rev. J. W. Tschudy, Clarksburg, German,	N. Y.	Rev. H. C. Chedale, Blue Earth City,	Minn.
Rev. G. Alexy, Bohemians,	"	Rev. O. H. Elmer, Moorhead,	"
Rev. A. N. Freeman, Brooklyn, Siloam,	"	Rev. J. Rodgers, Farmington, Vermilion and	"
Rev. H. R. Waite, Huguenot Memorial,	"	Empire,	"
Rev. W. A. Gay, Breckenridge Street,	"	Rev. H. W. Harvey, Wilmar,	"
Rev. J. A. Clark, Hillsdale,	"	Rev. J. P. Calboun, Le Claire and Princeton,	Iowa.
Rev. F. A. Spencer, Tyrone and Pine Grove,	"	Rev. S. Johnson, Leon and Garden Grove,	"
Rev. E. Koons, Ludlowville,	"	Rev. E. C. Haskell, Atalissa and Cedar Valley,	"
Rev. H. P. V. Bogue, Avon Central,	"	Rev. G. J. E. Richards, Delmar and Elwood,	"
Rev. H. M. Kellogg, Atlantic City,	N. J.	Rev. J. Frothingham, Manchester,	"
Rev. G. M. Potter, Springdale,	Pa.	Rev. J. D. Caldwell, Jesup and Pleasant Prairie,	"
Rev. H. F. Mason, Norristown 2d,	"	Rev. W. S. Peterson, Beloit and Lincoln Co.,	"
Rev. D. R. Kerr, Jamestown,	"	Rev. H. H. Henry, Cherokee,	"
Rev. J. P. Barbour, Monaghan,	"	Rev. J. Gourley, Pisgah and Butler Centre,	"
Rev. G. Chappell, Little Valley,	"	Rev. A. A. Mathes, Mariposa,	"
Rev. W. Willson, California,	"	Rev. J. L. Jones, Villisca,	"
Rev. M. Wishart, Waterford,	"	Rev. J. P. Schell, Kirksville,	"
Rev. A. Johnson, Shickshinney,	"	Rev. G. M. Lodge, Avoca and Walnut,	"
Rev. J. S. Pomeroy, Moundsville,	W. Va.	Rev. J. Fisher, Farley, Epworth and Boston,	"
Rev. G. M. Fleming, Bucklannon and Weston,	"	Rev. A. B. DeLong, Lenox and Platte Centre,	"
Rev. A. A. Jamieson, Fairmount and Man-	"	Rev. J. W. Coleman, College Ave., Davenport,	"
nington,	"	Rev. G. F. Le Clere, Madison and Dell Rapids, Dakota.	"
Rev. J. S. Eaton, Barren Creek and Rocka-	Del.	Rev. J. Kirkwood, Spring Ranch, Waveland	Neb.
walking,	"	and Glenville,	"
Rev. W. V. Louderbough, Odessa. Drawer's,	Md.	Rev. W. E. Kimball, Madison, Creston and	"
Rev. D. J. Beale, Light Street, Baltimore,	"	Tracy Valley,	"
Rev. C. Hedges, Madison Street, Baltimore,	"	Rev. F. H. W. Bruechert, Plattsmouth, Ger.,	"
Rev. N. F. Chapman, Mt. Paren and Quarries,	"	Rev. J. Riale, Papillion,	"
Rev. W. A. Hooper, Ellicott City,	"	Rev. C. N. Cate, Columbus,	"
Rev. D. L. Rathbun, Chestnut Grove and	"	Rev. A. Patterson, Clontibret,	"
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Rev. H. G. Pollock, Red Oak,	"	Rev. W. J. Young, Tekama and Silver Creek,	"
Rev. A. J. Alexander, Portland,	"	Rev. J. Warner, Belle Centre, Hooper and	"
Rev. D. D. Bigger, Tiffin,	"	Maple Creek,	"
Rev. T. S. Park, Centre Union,	"	Rev. L. R. Wheeler, Ponca and West Union,	"
Rev. F. Lynn, De Graff,	"	Rev. G. Williams, Niobrara,	"
Rev. C. K. Lehman, West Salem,	"	Rev. W. M. Reed, Schell City,	Mo.
Rev. C. K. Smoyer, Elmore, Genoa & Graytown,	"	Rev. J. C. Young, Cameron and Lathrop,	"
Rev. S. V. McKee, South Bend 2d,	Ind.	Rev. D. L. Lander, Malta Bend, Laynesville	"
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Rev. H. H. Lipps, Salem Centre,	"	Rev. W. Wittenberger, Bethlehem, German,	"
Rev. L. L. Lorrimer, Greenfield,	"	Rev. J. Moore, Clinton,	"
Rev. A. M. Work, Rochester and Mt. Zion,	"	Rev. G. W. Newell, Salem, Elk Prairie and	"
Rev. W. Campbell, Rolling Prairie,	"	Laketon,	"
Rev. T. Martin, Deer Creek,	Ills.	Rev. D. K. Campbell, Savannah & Hackberry,	"
Rev. J. Lafferty, Nokomis and Raymond,	"	Rev. J. W. Ewing, Pacific,	"
Rev. S. Ward, Galum,	"	Rev. W. H. Honnell, McPherson and Pioneer,	Kan.
Rev. H. V. Warren, Gibson,	"	Rev. S. E. De Garmo, Dexter and Cedar Vale,	"
Rev. S. H. Parvin, Bushnell,	"	Rev. L. Richter, Raymond and Ellenwood,	"
Rev. J. Gilmore, Hanover and Elizabeth,	"	Rev. C. S. Marvin, Canton and Roxbury,	"
Rev. J. Kolb, Queen Ann, German,	"	Rev. A. D. Laughlin, Scandia and Prospect,	"
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City,	Mich.	Rev. J. A. Pinkerton, Beloit,	"
Rev. P. A. McMartin, Sebawa,	"	Rev. A. M. Reynolds, Spring Hill,	"
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RECEIPTS FOR HOME MISSIONS IN JANUARY, 1880.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Albany 6th, 11; Albany State  
Street, 128 02; Ballston Centre, 5 60; Johnstown,  
100; Kingsboro', add'l, 50; Princetown sub-sch., 15 30;  
Saratoga Springs 1st sub-sch., 23 43; Saratoga Springs  
2d, 10 08; Schenectady East Avenue, 71 88. *Cham-  
plain*—Chateaugay, 5. *Columbia*—Hudson, 187 46;  
Jewett, 48 63. *Troy*—Troy Second Street, 32 57.

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ATLANTIC.—*Yadkin*—Pantherford, 60  
BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Annapolis (sub-sch., 30),  
100; Baltimore 1st, Ladies' Sewing Soc., 250; Baltimore  
Aisquith Street sub-sch., 25; Baltimore Brown Memori-  
al sub-sch., Torch Bearers, 50, and Mission sub-sch.,  
11 24 (61 24); Baltimore Knox, 7; Baltimore Light  
Street, 10; Baltimore Westminster, a member, 5; Bel  
Air, 5; Fallston, 2; Havre de Grace, 45. *New Castle*  
—Delaware City, 15; Dover, 20; Milford, 12 50;  
Odessa, Drawer's, 6; Head of Christiana, 18; Wil-  
mington Olivet, 5 98. *Washington City*—Washington  
4th, 62 50; Washington Metropolitan, Ladies' Society,  
15; Washington North, 4 45; Washington Westmin-  
ster, 40. 709 67

CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Binghamton  
1st, 129 32; Waverly, Ladies' Society, 3. *Otsego*—  
Gilbertsville, 33; Oneonta, 19 72. *St. Lawrence*—  
Brownville, 6; Gouverneur, add'l, 40; Morristown,  
8 50; Oswegatchie 2d, 9; Plessis, 14 50; Theresa,  
15 50; Waddington, 12 30; Watertown, Stone Street,  
42. *Syracuse*—Liverpool, 3 26; Manlius, 5 66; Syra-  
cuse 1st, from H. W. Van Buren, 300; Syracuse First  
Ward, 4 87. *Utica*—Angusta, 4 47; Clinton (sub-sch.,  
20), 117 54; New Hartford, 25; New York Mills, 100;  
Vernon, 35; Vernon Centre sub-sch., 7 08. 935 72

CINCINNATI.—*Chillicothe*—McArthur, 2 50; North  
Fork, 5 25; Washington, 11; "Argiel," 1. *Cincinnati*  
—Bethel, 8 50; Cincinnati 2d, 84 29; Cincinnati 3d,  
80; Cincinnati 5th, Junior Bible-class, 10; Cincinnati,  
Mt. Auburn, 100; Cincinnati, 1st German (sub-sch.,  
10), 25; Delhi, 30; Glendale, 128 63; Harrison (sub-  
sch., 5 36), 13 36; Loveland sub-sch., 17 12; Moscow,  
2 50; Mt. Carmel (sub-sch., 3), 12; Reading and Lock-  
land, 14; Sharonville, 8 27; Somerset (sub-sch., 7),  
13; Springdale, 26 40. *Dayton*—Dayton Memorial  
sub-sch. (in part), 7; Middletown, 35; New Jersey,  
13 60; Piqua 1st, 10; Troy, 97 59; Xenia, add'l, 8 70.  
*Portsmouth*—Feesburg, 2; Felicity, 4; Manchester,  
20. 790 71

CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Ashtabula, 10; Cleveland  
1st, Ladies' Society, 100; Cleveland 2d (sub-sch., 75),  
475; Cleveland North, 3 12; Kingsville, from J. King,  
4 90. *Mahoning*—Deerfield, 13; East Palestine, 6;  
Middle Sandy, 11 40; Niles, 4; Youngstown 1st, 34 37.  
*St. Clairsville*—Caldwell, 3 61; Morrinstown, 4 50;  
Olive, 5 39; St. Clairsville, 62. *Steubenville*—Beech  
Spring, 20; Cross Creek, Ladies' Society, 4 16; East  
Liverpool, 19 25; Steubenville 2d sub-sch., 62 50.

843 20

COLORADO.—*Colorado*—Erie, 2; Trinidad, 13; Val-  
mont, 12 50. *Santa Fé*—Laguna, 15. 42 50

COLUMBIA.—*Oregon*—Bethany, 5; Eagle Park, 3 50;  
Portland, 140 05. *South Oregon*—Eugene City, add'l,  
15. 163 55

COLUMBUS.—*Atheus*—Athens, 7 87; Pomeroy, 10 54.  
*Columbus*—Amanda, 3 50; Circleville Central, 30.  
*Marion*—Cardington, 5; Chesterville, 14 10; Dela-  
ware, 40; Marion, 20; Ostrander, 18 72; Pisgah, 3 86;  
Providence, 2; Richmond, 5; York, 2 52. *Wooster*—  
Bethel, 9; Holmesville, 3; Jackson, dying gift of  
Clifton W. Smith, 7 40; Orange, 10. *Zanesville*—  
Duncan's Falls, 9; Evan's Creek, 5; Homer, 1 15;  
Salem, German, 2 30; Waterford, 2; Zanesville 1st,  
13. 224 96

ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Allegheny 1st, 123 91; Alle-  
gheny, Bethel, 3; Sewickley, add'l, 16; Springdale,  
7. *Butler*—Amity, 8; Concord, 21 54; Fairview, 5;  
Muddy Creek, 4; North Butler, 5 75; Petrolia, 2;  
Unionville, 4 50; Sunbury, Ladies' Society, 13 21,

Children's Mission Band, 1 10 (14 31); Westminster,  
5. *Clarion*—Emlementon, 8 67; Perry, 3; Ridgway, 4.  
*Erie*—Corry, 10; Erie Central, 150; Erie, Chestnut  
Street, 6; Girard, Ladies' Society, 16 61; Venango,  
add'l (Mrs. D. Waggoner, 2), 4. *Kittanning*—Cherry  
Tree, 12 26; Ebenezer, 24; Freeport, 14 25; Leech-  
burg, 64; West Lebanon (sub-sch., 5 65), 45 65. *She-  
nango*—Mahoning, 30; Nesliannock, from T. Bartholo-  
mew, 25; New Castle 2d, 31; Sharpsville, 5 45. 673 90

GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Auburn 1st, 683 70; Auburn  
Calvary sub-sch., 22; Anrora, 2 58; Genoa 1st, 37 25;  
Ithaca, 370 98; Scipioville, 1 40. *Chemung*—Elmira  
1st, 14 80; Monterey, 2 25; Pine Grove, 15; Sugar  
Hill, 1 46; Tyrone, 15. *Geneva*—Canoga, 3. *Lyons*—  
Lyons, 25 29; Palmyra, 47 04. *Steuben*—Corning,  
8 63. 1318 38

HARRISBURG.—*Carlisle*—Buffalo, 10; Chambers-  
burg, Falling Spring, 138 50; Dauphin, 25; Green  
Hill, 4 49; Harrisburg, Seventh St., 7; McConnells-  
burg, 4 84; Mercersburg, 50; Middletown, 2 75; Pax-  
ton, 20 07; Wells Valley, 2 08. *Huntingdon*—Beulah,  
8; Clearfield sub-sch., 15 80; Fruit Hill (sub-sch., 4 05),  
17 27; Houtzdale, 4; Milroy, 57 50. *Northumberland*  
—Bald Eagle and Nittany, add'l, 1; Grove sub-sch.,  
15; Mahoning sub-sch., 10; Warrior Run, 14 25;  
Williamsport 1st (sub-sch., 25), 60; Williamsport 2d,  
25 57. *Wellsboro'*—Covington, 3; Fall Brook, 5; Kane,  
4; Mansfield, 17; Wellsboro' (sub-sch., 4 65), 22 16. 544 28

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.—*Bloomington*—Chenoa, add'l, 3.  
Gibson, 4 25; Prairie View, 5; Tolono, 19 70; Towanda,  
add'l, 1. *Peoria*—Brunswick, 7; Knoxville sub-sch.,  
66 63; Lewistown, 14 21; Prospect, Ladies' Society, 6;  
Salem, 5; Washington, 5. *Schuyler*—Ellington, 4 35;  
Elvaston, 14; Quincy 1st, 53 75; Rushville sub-sch.,  
9 39; "X. Y. Z.", 40. *Springfield*—Murrayville, 3 40;  
North Sangamon, 25; Sweetwater, 2. 288 68

ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—Half Day, 3 25; Kan-  
kakee, 17; Kankakee, French, 10; Lake Forest, add'l,  
182 40; Libertyville, 3 25; Wheeling, Zion, German,  
15. *Freeport*—Belvidere, 25; Foreston, German, 30;  
Freeport 1st, 69 55; Elizabeth (Ladies' Society, 5), 10;  
Galena, German (sub-sch., 4 19), 16 19; Hanover  
(Ladies' Society, 5), 15. *Ottawa*—Morris, 30; Paw  
Paw Grove, 6; Rochelle, 34; Wyoming, 3. *Rock  
River*—Fulton, 2. 471 64

ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Alton*—Greenville, 4; Jerseyville,  
58; Virden, 13 25; Rev. A. T. Norton, 18 62. *Cairo*—  
Du Quoin, 12 05; Equality, 2; Fairfield, 5; Harris-  
burg, 2; Nashville, 5; Shawneetown, 20 70; Tamaroa,  
10. *Mattoon*—Brownstown, 6; Kansas, 30; Mattoon,  
5 31. 191 93

INDIANA NORTH.—*Crawfordsville*—Bethel, 2; Craw-  
fordsville Centre, Ladies, 53 58; Prairie Centre, 3 25.  
*Fort Wayne*—Auburn, 2 50; Pierceton, 2 15; Warsaw,  
13 05. *Logansport*—Plymouth, 9 45; Union sub-sch.,  
3 78; Valparaiso, 10 05. *Muncie*—Wabash, 7 69. 107 50

INDIANA SOUTH.—*Indianapolis*—Indianapolis 2d,  
123 37; Nashville, 1 62; New Pisgah, 3 84. *New  
Albany*—Jeffersonville, 25; Monroe, 15 cts.; New  
Washington, 9 75. *Vincennes*—Sullivan sub-sch., 1 09;  
Washington, 40. *White Water*—Shelbyville, 6 45. 211 27

IOWA NORTH.—*Cedar Rapids*—Bellevue, 6; Cedar  
Rapids 2d, 55 06. *Dubuque*—Lansing, German, 5;  
McGregor, German, 6; Maynard, 1 50; Zion, 1 50.  
*Fort Dodge*—Battle Creek, 5; Fort Dodge, 8 76; Ida,  
6; Plymouth, 5; Sac City, 2; Sioux City sub-sch., 3.  
*Waterloo*—Ackley, 15; Clarksville, 3 35; State Centre  
sub-sch., 5. 128 17

IOWA SOUTH.—*Council Bluffs*—Adair, 5; Mt. Ayr,  
5; Whitneyville, 2 35. *Des Moines*—Centerville, 1 60;  
Lineville, add'l, 2; Medora, 2 54; St. Charles, 2 50;  
Rev. W. H. McCaskey, 50 cts. *Iowa*—Burlington 1st  
(sub-sch., 20 93), 44 93; Keokuk Westminster, 11 37:

Summit 6 00. *Iowa City*—Columbus Central, 4; Crawfordsville, 10; Davenport College Avenue, 15; Tipton sab-sch., 2 92; Washington, 14 80; West Branch, 2 50. 133 63

KANSAS.—Rev. T. Hill, D.D., 10. *Larned*—Hutchinson, 20; Larned, 10. *Neosho*—Chetopa, 1 25; Fort Gibson, 10; Geneva (sab-sch., 5 45), 9 08; Independence sab-sch., 3; Iola, 8 63; Liberty, 1 23; Monmouth, 3 30; Muskogee, 12; Osage, 5; Pleasanton, 5; Pleasant Hill, 3; Prescott, 2. *Topeka*—Edgerton, add'l, 3; Leavenworth 1st, 250; North Topeka, 3; Oskaloosa, 5; Riley Centre, German, 7. 371 49

KENTUCKY.—*Ebenezer*—Falmouth, 3 70; Maysville 1st, 4 50; Mt. Sterling, 6. *Louisville*—Louisville, Broadway Tabernacle, 151 06; Olivet, 4 15; Princeton, 3; Shelbyville 1st, Ladies, 12 50. *Transylvania*—Columbia (Mrs. Hall, 5, Rev. G. J. Reed, D.D., 10), 27 10; Lebanon (Rev. J. T. Lapsley, 5), 30. 242 01

LONG ISLAND.—*Brooklyn*—Brooklyn, German, E. D., 20; Brooklyn, Throop Avenue sab-sch., 20 89; Brooklyn, South Third Street German Mission, 50. *Long Island*—Port Jefferson, 7 50. *Nassau*—Christian Hook, 4; East Williamsburg, 3; Islip, monthly concert collection, 1 96; Springfield, 12 17. 119 52

MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Detroit Central sab-sch., 10; Detroit Westminster, 63. *Grand Rapids*—East Bay, 7 62; Elk Rapids, 13 38; Ewart, 5; Greenwood, 8. *Kalamazoo*—Edwardsburg, 18 26; Kalamazoo 1st sab-sch., 25 58; Kendall, 8; Paw Paw, 31; White Pigeon, 6. *Lansing*—Concord, 18 01; Tekonsha, 15. *Monroe*—California, 6; Coldwater, 33; Reading, 3 15. *Saginaw*—Marlette, 8; Mt. Pleasant, 10. 289 00

MINNESOTA.—*Mankato*—Blue Earth City, 7; Le Sueur, 6; St. Peter's, 11 20. *St. Paul*—Minneapolis, Franklin Avenue (sab-sch., 14 25), 31 05; Minneapolis Westminster, 154 85; Stillwater 1st, 8. *Winona*—Lake City, 11 23. 229 23

MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Austin, 3; Jefferson City, 1 23; Kansas City 3d, 20; Olive Branch, 3. *Ozark*—Pleasant Prairie, 8 25. *Palmyra*—Birds Eye Ridge, 3 90; Grantsville, 3; Kirksville (sab-sch., 1), 10; Sullivan 1st, 7; Platte—Carrollton, 8 70; Forest City, 5 50; King City, 7; Mispah, 1 50; Osborn, 1 20; Union (sab-sch., 6 90), 18 50; Wheeling, 2 25; Willow Brook, 2 35. *St. Louis*—Ironton, 6 65; Kirkwood sab-sch., 34 79; Poplar Bluff, 6 50; St. Louis, La Fayette Park, 17. 171 42

NEBRASKA.—*Kearney*—Eaton, 1 65; Glenville, 2 35; Red Cloud, 2; Riverton, 1; Spring Rancho, 2; Waveland, 2 85. *Nebraska City*—Alexander, 10; Fairbury, 5; Summit, 6. *Omaha*—Cloutebret, 4 02; Waterloo, 12. 48 87

NEW JERSEY.—*Elizabeth*—Cranford sab-sch., 8 33; Elizabeth Westminster, 110; Pluckamin, 11; Roselle 1st sab-sch., 29 60; Summit Central, 9 43. *Jersey City*—Jersey City, Bergen 1st sab-sch., 62 50; Rutherford Park, 15 80; Tenafly, 6 29. *Monmouth*—Columbus (sab-sch., 7 50), 16 07; Farmingdale, 30; Mt. Holly sab-sch., 36 87. *Morris and Orange*—Chestor, 50; Mendham 2d, 12 60; Orange Central, 100. *Newark*—Bloomfield 1st (63 21 monthly concert coll.), 344 97; Newark Calvary, 30 03; Newark Central sab-sch., 62 50; Newark Park, 18 68; Newark Wickliffe, 14. *New Brunswick*—Amwell United 1st, a member, 5; Dayton sab-sch., 6 27; Frenchtown, 40; Kingston, 30 52; Trenton 4th, 87; Trenton Prospect Street, 106 06. *Newton*—Belvidere 1st, 14 52; Greenwich, 10; Musconetcong Valley, 20; Oxford 2d, 20; Phillipsburg 2d sab-sch., 5 41; Stanhope, 2; Stillwater, 5; Swartswood, 1; Yellow Frame, 6 12. *West Jersey*—Atlantic City, 10 18; Hammonton sab-sch., 10 37; May's Landing, 4; Salem sab-sch., 99 75. 1451 87

NEW YORK.—*Boston*—Boston 4th, 5 32. *Hudson*—Goshen, 59 53; Middletown 2d, 14 34; Ramapo, 45; Ridgebury, 50 cts.; Scotchtown, 3 70; Stony Point sab-sch., 8 17; Washingtonville 1st, 20. *New York*—Harlem, Puritans, 98 29; New York, Allen Street sab-sch., 5; New York, Canal Street, 20; New York, Fourteenth Street, 103 98; New York, Madison Square (in part), 1877 54; New York, Rutgers, add'l, 28 02; New York, W. Twenty-third Street, 74 11; New York 1st, 6550 92; New York 4th, 132 95; New York, Fourth Avenue, monthly concert, 28 25; New York, Fifth Ave., add'l, 100; New York, Immanuel Chapel, 3 23; New York, Madison Square Memorial Chapel, 1 85. *North River*—Freedom Plains, 10; Little Britain, 5; Poughkeepsie, Ladies' Home Miss'y Soc'y,

100; Pleasant Valley, 2 03; Rondout sab-sch., 62 50. *Westchester*—Bedford sab-sch., 8 78; Yonkers 1st, 212 82. 9581 53

PACIFIC.—*Benicia*—Point Arena, 7. *Sacramento*—Amador, 7; Chico, 56 15; Ione, 5 25; Nord, 3; Reading, 5; Sheridan, 5. *San Francisco*—Dauville, 10; Rev. T. Fraser, 25. 123 40

PHILADELPHIA.—*Chester*—Coatesville, 31; Fagg's Manor (sab-sch., 29 70), 101 70; Fairview, 14; Forks of Brandywine, 42 52; Great Valley, 26 50; Kennett Square, 6; Middletown, 2. *Lackawanna*—Barclay, 5; Dunmore, 15 35; Liberty, 3 01; Plymouth, 24 48; Scranton 1st, 107 26; Towanda (sab-sch., 107 05), 256 05; Wilkesbarre 1st, 155 36. *Lehigh*—Conyngham Valley, 8 40; Reading 1st (sab-sch., 1 25), 350 27; Stroudsburg sab-sch., 16 10. *Philadelphia*—Philadelphia, Calvary, add'l, 11 25; Philadelphia, Chambers, 11 09; Philadelphia, Clinton Street Immanuel, 30. *Philadelphia Central*—Phila., Cohocksink, 134 90. *Philadelphia North*—Conshohocken, 10; Doylestown and Deep Run, 20; Frankford, 7 09; Germantown, Market Square, 51 31; Germantown, Wakefield, 34 14; Providence, 7 50. *Westminster*—Chestnut Level, 28 29; Little Britain, 7; Pequea (sab-sch., 5), 38. 1636 32

PITTSBURGH.—*Blairsville*—Beulah sab-sch., 20; Blairsville sab-sch., 38 85; Greensburg sab-sch., 28 21; Latrobe, Ladies' Society, 40; Livermore, 14 10; Verona, 20. *Pittsburgh*—Concord, 5; East Liberty, 26; Hopewell, 2; Knoxville, 2; Miller's Run, 10 50; Pittsburgh 9th, 1; Pittsburgh Shady Side, 23 50; Wilkensburg, 65. *Redstone*—Connellsville, 5; Dunbar, 40; New Providence, 20. *Washington*—Cove sab-sch., 14 07; East Buffalo, 14 90; Mt. Prospect sab-sch., 5 14; Washington 1st, 33 06; Wheeling 3d, 8. *West Virginia*—French Creek, 13 23; Morgantown sab-sch., 20; Ravenswood, 6. 475 56

TENNESSEE.—*Holston*—Oakland, 5; Salem, 4 17; Timber Ridge, 1 50; Mrs. A. M. Penland, 2. *New Orleans*—Mary Esther, 5. *Union*—Hopewell, 2 05; Strawberry Plains, add'l, 2 70; Women's Synodical Home Miss'y Society, 50. 72 42

TEXAS.—*Austin*—Austin 1st, 29 10; Galveston, German, 5. 34 10

TOLEDO.—*Bellefontaine*—Bellefontaine, 7 40; Bucyrus, 1 31; Crestline, 32 10; Patterson, 25; West Liberty, 2 28. *Huron*—Clyde, 5; Fremont, 15; Green Springs, 7; Sandusky, 20 18; Tiffin, 6 41. *Lima*—Celina, 1; Delphos, 8 43; Dupont, 2; St. Mary's, 5. *Maumee*—Pemberville, 6; Stryker, 5. 149 11

WESTERN NEW YORK.—*Buffalo*—Buffalo, Lafayette Street, 79 53; Buffalo, Westminster, 78 39; Buffalo, West Side, 12 50; Clarence, 13 50; East Aurora, 11; Fredonia (sab-sch., 15), 73 14; Lancaster, 50. *Genesee*—Attica, 55 93; Batavia, 5; Bergen, 37 76; Castile, 19 12. *Genesee Valley*—Almond, 7 25; Franklinville (sab-sch., 3 50), 15. *Niagara*—Albion, "for the border settlements of the west," 120; Lockport 1st sab-sch., 62 50; Lockport, Second Ward, 8; Porter 1st, 24. *Rochester*—Brighton, 30; Genesee Village 1st, 175 20; Lima, 3 26; Rochester Central, 101 55; Rochester St. Peter's, 25 50; Rochester Westminster, 20. 1028 13

WISCONSIN.—*Chippewa*—Bangor, add'l, 50 cts.; Eau Claire 1st, 15; Hixton, 5; La Crosse 1st (sab-sch., 2 41), 7; Neillsville sab-sch., 3; Nesliannoc (sab-sch., 1 30), 2 55. *Milwaukee*—Barton, 10 50; Geneva Lake, 8 16; Janesville (sab-sch., 5), 44 94; Ottawa, 1 64; Pike Grove, 20; Waukesha sab-sch., 29 06. *Winnebago*—Alto-Wampum, 1; Neenah, 110. *Wisconsin River*—Middleton, 3 21; Prairie du Sac, 21 08; Richland City sab-sch., 3 50; Richland Centre, 18. 304 14  
Women's Executive Committee of Home Missions, 2257 40; Ladies' Board of Missions, New York, 205; Women's Board of Missions for the Southwest, 77 96.

Total received from the churches.....\$27,366 84

## LEGACIES.

Nancy Bayne, dec'd, late of Medina, N. Y., 95 86; Ascenath Bower, dec'd, late of Binghamton, N. Y., 308 18; Mrs. Janetta S. Cochran, dec'd, late of New York City, add'l, 625; S. P. Karr, dec'd, late of Almond, N. Y., 199 50; James S. Leonard, dec'd, late of Lowville, N. Y., 1170 32—5177 86, less expenses in will case, 50. 5,127 86

## MISCELLANEOUS.

James H. Beck, Troy, Iowa, 5; Miss Lydia Davis, Meadville, Pa., 5; J. C. Henning, Stillwater, Minn., 2; Rev. W. J. McCord, Wassaic, N. Y., 50 cts.; Thomas Williams, Vernon, N. Y., 20; "A thank offering from a friend," 20; Oliver B. Sanford, Esq., Freeport, Ill., 100; Sarah S. Dennis, Jasper, N. Y., 1; T. D. Smith, Independence, Ohio, 100; Rev. and Mrs. P. Lockwood, Binghamton, N. Y., 150; Miss Mary E. Lockwood, Binghamton, N. Y., 100; Miss Theodosia S. Lockwood, Binghamton, N. Y., 100; Henry Brewster, Esq., Shirleysburg, Pa., 10; "J. M. H.," 5; Rev. W. E. Honeyman, 10; Rev. H. H. Wikoff and wife, San Francisco, Cal., 3; R. O. Cleves, 4; "A. E.," 70; Society of Inquiry of Union Theological Seminary, 7 38; Mrs. Mary E. Butler, St. Paul, Minn., 200; "A friend," 1; Robert J. White, Esq., Bridgeport, Conn., 250; "Friends, N. H.," 200; "Friends at Home,"

50; "Presbyter," 50; Rev. William Bradley, Clifton Station, Va., 5; "Cash," 2; "M. T.," 1; Miss Ward, 1; "E.," Holden, Md., 1; "S. W. S.," 500; Chauncey Deweys, Cadiz, Ohio, 50; Rev. A. Heberton, Philadelphia, Pa., 5; "A. A.," Phila., 3; Mrs. J. B. W., Tallula, Ill., 1; "H. L.," 2; "G. H.," 10; Rev. D. L. Dickey, Hookstown, Pa., 10; "C.," Conn., 6; John McCormick, Ashley, Mo., 5; Mrs. Gillespie, Gallatin, Mo., 10; Miss E. D. Ward, Darien, Conn., 10; Interest on "The John C. Green Fund," 1050; Interest on Charles Wright's legacy, East Canton, Pa., 22 47; Interest on Bowes' legacy, 87 50; Interest on Edwin J. Peck's bequest, 1250; Interest on Yandis' Fund, 250.

4,745 85

Total in January, 1880.....\$37,240 55

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## RECEIPTS FOR SUSTENTATION IN JANUARY, 1880.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Albany State Street, 31 78; Ballston Centre, 3 74; Johnstown, 10; Saratoga Springs 1st sab-sch., 5 81; Saratoga Springs 2d, 2 49. *Columbia*—Hudson, 10. *Troy*—Troy Second St., 11 71.

BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Hampden, 10 00. CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Binghamton 1st, 37 72. *St. Lawrence*—Brownsville, 2 85. *Syracuse*—Manlius, 1 40; Syracuse, First Ward, 96 cts. *Utica*—New York Mills, 14 33. CINCINNATI.—*Cincinnati*—Delhi, 6. *Dayton*—Dayton Memorial, 10. *Portsmouth*—Manchester, 5.

CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Euclid Street, 26 26; North, 77 cts.; South Cleveland, 10. *Steubenville*—Cross Creek, 2 11; Dennison, 10.

ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Fairmount, 2 32. *Erie*—Corry, 5; Erie Central, 25. *Kittanning*—Bethel, 5 25; Leechburg, 5 50. *Shenango*—Sharpsville, 3 80.

GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Aurora, 21 17. *Chemung*—Elmira 1st, 3 67. *Steuben*—Corning, 2 14.

HARRISBURG.—*Cattaraugus*—Green Hill, 1 11; Landisburg, 2; McConnellsburg, 1 20; Shermansdale, 1; Wells Valley, 51 cts. *Northumberland*—Montgomery, 3; Williamsport 1st, 10; Williamsport 2d, 1 65. *Wellsboro*—Wellsboro, 4 35.

ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—Lake Forest, 25 71; Joliet Central, 10. *Freeport*—Galena, German, 1. *Rock River*—Ashton, 5; Fulton, 1.

ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Alton*—Virden, 3 31. INDIANA NORTH.—*Crawfordsville*—Dayton, 4 50.

IOWA SOUTH.—*Iowa*—Burlington, 5 45; Keokuk Westminister 1st, 2 82; Summit, 2. *Iowa City*—Washington, 3 67.

KANSAS.—*Emporia*—Big Creek, 1 64; Burlington, 1 33. *Neosho*—Chetopa, 1 25.

MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Detroit Westminister, 15 41. *Grand Rapids*—Greenwood, 1. *Kalamazoo*—Kendall, 2; White Pigeon, 2. *Lansing*—Concord, 4 47. *Monroe*—Coldwater, 7.

MINNESOTA.—*Monkato*—St. Peter's, 10 50. MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Jefferson City, 31.

NEW JERSEY.—*Elizabeth*—Summit Central, 1 26. *Jersey City*—Tenafly, 1 53. *Monmouth*—Allentown, 20. *Morris and Orange*—Chester, 5; Flanders, 5; Morrilstown, South Street, 62 82. *Newark*—Calvary, 7 44; Park, 4 63. *New Brunswick*—Kingston, 6 12; Pennington, 29 74. *Newton*—Belvidere 1st, 7 11; Greenwich, 2 40; Musconetcong Valley, 4; Oxford 2d, 5; Stanhope, 2; Yellow Fraine, 1 52. *West Jersey*—Salem, 5.

NEW YORK.—*Boston*—Londonderry, 2. *Hudson*—Chester, 15; Middletown 2d, 3 57; Ramapo, 14; Scotchtown, 92 cts. *New York*—Church of the Priests, 24 40. *Westchester*—Croton Falls sab-sch., 1; Riverdale, 7.

PHILADELPHIA.—*Chester*—Fagg's Manor, 6 70; Upper Octotara, 14 72. *Lockvanna*—Liberty, 74 cts.; Shickshinny, 4 29. *Philadelphia*—Chambers, 15 40. *Philadelphia Central*—Central, 64 43; Corinthian Ave.,

German, 1. *Philadelphia North*—Doylestown and Deep Run, 10; Frankford, 3 28; Germantown, Market Square, 8 05; Neshaminy, Warwick, 7 26.

PITTSBURGH.—*Blairsville*—Poke Run, 9; Verona, 15. *Pittsburgh*—Bethel, 22 50; Hopewell, 1 58; East Liberty, 26; Pittsburgh 1st, 12; Shady Side, 11 75. *Washington*—Cross Creek, 28; Washington 1st, 8 27.

TOLEDO.—*Bellefontaine*—Bucyrus, 33 cts.; West Liberty, 56 cts. *Huron*—Fremont, 5. *Lima*—Celina, 1; Delphos, 2 09; St. Mary's, 6.

WESTERN NEW YORK.—*Buffalo*—Buffalo Westminister, 14 84; Lancaster, 20. *Rochester*—Brighton, 1; Lima, 80 cts.; Central, 5 08; St. Peter's, 6.

WISCONSIN.—*Milwaukee*—Ottawa, 41 cts. *Winnabago*—Neenah, 19 24. *Wisconsin River*—Middleton, 79 cts.

Total received from the churches.....\$1014 54

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Rev. W. J. McCord, Wassaic, N. Y., 50 cts.; Chauncey Deweys, Cadiz, Ohio, 50

Total in January, 1880.....\$1065 04

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## CLOTHING.

One box from the Mite Society of Coatesville ch., Pa., 132; 1 box from the Ladies' Missy' Assoc'n of Bedford ch., N. Y., 110; 1 box from the ladies of Wenonah ch., N. J., 50; 1 box from the ladies of Oil City 1st ch., Pa., 74; 1 box from the Pequea ch., Pa., 100; 2 boxes from the Ladies' Missy' Society of Philadelphia Calvary ch., Pa., 575; 1 box from the ladies of Hudson 1st ch., N. Y., 154 47; 1 box from the ladies of Westminister ch., Brooklyn, N. Y., 150; 1 box from the Ladies' Missy' Society of Walnut Street ch., Philadelphia, Pa., 212 73; 1 box from the Ladies' Missy' Society of Bellevue ch., Pa., 50; 1 box from the ladies of Brooklyn 1st ch., N. Y.; 3 boxes from the ladies of Madison Square ch., N. Y., 235; 4 boxes from the Dorcas and Home Missy' Societies of West Spruce St. ch., Pa., 1173 42; 1 box from the ladies of Newtown, Pa., 150; 1 box from the Dorcas Society of Bethlehem ch., Pa., 307; 1 box from the ladies of Little Falls ch., N. Y., 109 10.



RECEIPTS FOR EDUCATION IN JANUARY, 1880.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Albany State Street, 35 69; Ballston Centre, 4; Saratoga Springs 1st sub-sch., 6 53; Saratoga Springs 2d, 2 82. *Columbia*—Hudson, 10. *Troy*—Troy 2d, 6 71. 65 75

BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Bethel, 5. *New Castle*—Middletown, 5 61; Red Clay Creek, 21 56. *Washington City*—Washington Metropolitan Ladies' Society, 8; Washington Westminster, 10. 50 17

CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Binghamton 1st, 37 72; Coventry 2d, 14. *Otsego*—Worcester, 3. *St. Lawrence*—Brownville, 3 51. *Syracuse*—Fulton, 6; Marcellus, 1 58; Syracuse 1st, 31 57; Syracuse First Ward, 1 08. *Utica*—Vernon, 30. 128 46

CINCINNATI.—*Cincinnati*—Cincinnati Walnut Hills, 31 90; Delhi, 8; Glendale, 31 54; Montgomery, 11 25; Reading and Rockland, 7; Somerset, 1 87. *Dayton*—New Carlisle, 3; Piqua 1st, 20; Xenia, 8 70. *Portsmouth*—Portsmouth 2d, 40 75. 164 01

CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Ashtabula, 2 80; Cleveland 2d, 200; Cleveland Euclid Street, 26 18; Cleveland North, 88 cts. *Mahoning*—Alliance, 20; Poland, 18. *Steubenville*—Annapolis, 5; East Liverpool, 7 58; Unionport, 5. 285 44

COLORADO.—*Santa Fé*—Laguna, 5 00

COLUMBUS.—*Marion*—Chesterville, 3 51. *Wooster*—Clear Fork, 3. *Zanesville*—Granville sab-sch., 8 90; Zanesville 1st, 7. 22 41

ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Glenfield, 2 78; Millvale, 5. *Butler*—Amity, 8. *Clarion*—Oak Grove, 2. *Erie*—Cambridge, 6; Corry, 4; Erie Central Park, 50; Sugar Creek, 3; Sugar Creek Memorial, 1; Sunville, 3. *Kittanning*—Glade Run, 25. *Shenango*—New Brighton, 11; Sharpsville, 3 25. 124 03

GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Auburn 1st, 102 52; Aurora, 21 17; Meridian, 4; Port Byron, 5. *Chemung*—Burdett, 4; Elmira 1st, 4 13. *Geneva*—Geneva 1st, 25 13; Geneva North, 29 46; Manchester, 4. *Lyons*—Newark sab-sch., 30 65; Palmyra, 12 68; East Palmyra, 9 74; Rose, 7 50. *Steuben*—Corning, 2 42. 262 40

HARRISBURG.—*Carlisle*—Green Hill, 1 26; Harrisburg Seventh Street, 7; Landisburg, 2; McCounellsburg, 1 35; Shermansdale, 1; Wells Valley, 58 cts. *Huntingdon*—Beulah, 3 50; Duncansville, 7 50; Little Valley, 5. *Northumberland*—Lycoming Centre, 6; Muncy, 11 18; Warrior Run, 6; Williamsport 2d, 5 85. *Wellsboro*—Wellsboro, 4 86. 62 08

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.—*Bloomington*—Bloomington 2d, 18. *Peoria*—Lewistown, 14 21; Washington, 4. *Springfield*—Irish Grove, 2. 38 21

ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—Chicago 2d, 220; Chicago 4th, 26; Will, 2; Wilmington, 3 78. *Ottawa*—Rochelle, 20. *Rock River*—Fulton, 2; Newton, 5. 278 78

ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Alton*—Carlinville, 13; Greenville, 1 50; Virden, 3 67. *Cairo*—Du Quoin, 3; Mount Vernon, 3; Tamaroa, 2. *Mattoon*—Shelbyville, 18 30. 44 47

INDIANA NORTH.—*Fort Wayne*—Auburn, 2 50. *Muncie*—Wabash, 1 72. 4 22

INDIANA SOUTH.—*Indianapolis*—Indianapolis 2d, 39 81; Indianapolis 11th, 1. *White Water*—Shelbyville 1st, 8 60. 49 41

IOWA NORTH.—*Cedar Rapids*—Cedar Rapids 1st, 174 24. *Dubuque*—Sherrill's Mound, Ger., 15. 189 24

IOWA SOUTH.—*Council Bluffs*—Gutherie, 2 25. *Des Moines*—Mariposa, 3 40. *Iowa*—Burlington 1st, 5 52; Keokuk Westminster, 3 17; Summit, 3. *Iowa City*—Crawfordsville, 3; Martinsburg, 3; Washington, 4 13. 27 47

KANSAS.—*Emporia*—Florence, 5. *Neosho*—Fort Gibson, 5; Iola, 3 15. *Topeka*—Riley Centre, 3. 16 15

LONG ISLAND.—*Brooklyn*—Brooklyn 1st, E. D., 10 35; Brooklyn 1st Henry Street, add'l, 25. *Nassau*—Newtown, 17. 52 35

MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Detroit Westminster, 17 27; Plainfield, 4 25; Unadilla, 2 21; Wyandotte, 7. *Kalamazoo*—Kendall, 3; Paw Paw, 6; Richland, add'l, 1; White Pigeon, 4. *Lansing*—Concord, 5; Stockbridge, 6 30. *Monroe*—California, 2; Coldwater, 11. 69 03

MINNESOTA.—*St. Paul*—St. Paul Dayton Avenue, 21 77

MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Jefferson City, 35 cts.; Sedalia, 3 50. 3 85

NEBRASKA.—*Omaha*—Papillion, 3; Schuyler, 6. 9 00

NEW JERSEY.—*Elizabeth*—Pluckamin, 5; Summit Central, 1 42. *Jersey City*—Jersey City 1st, 20 14; Lakeview, 1; Rutherford Park, 16 15; Tenafly, 1 76. *Morris and Orange*—Chester, 5; Fairmount, 10; South Orange, 39 41. *Newark*—Newark Calvary, 8 37; Newark Park, 5 21. *New Brunswick*—Alexandria 1st, 2; Frenchtown, 18; Kingston, 7 14. *Newton*—Greenwich, 2 80; Musconetcong Valley, 10; Oxford 2d, 10; Stillwater, 8; Swartswood, 2; Yellow Frame, 1 70. *West Jersey*—Woodbury, 20 35. 205 45

NEW YORK.—*Hudson*—Middletown 2d, 4 01; Ramapo, 17; Scotchtown, 1 03. *New York*—Harlem Puritans, 27 41; New York Brick ch. Chapel, 11 71; New York Canal Street, 10; New York Spring Street, 15 50; New York 1st, 59 62 12; New York 4th, 21 55. *North River*—Cold Spring, 2; Highland Falls, 10; Pleasant Valley, 15 16. *Westchester*—Bethany ch, 18, sab-sch., 13 05 = 31 05. 6128 54

PACIFIC.—*Los Angeles*—Westminster, 3 00

PHILADELPHIA.—*Chester*—Forks of Brandywine, 16; Wayne, 15 23. *Lackawanna*—Liberty, 84 cts.; Susquehanna Depot, 7. *Lehigh*—Slatington, 3; White Haven, 10 47. *Philadelphia North*—Frankford, 2 92; Providence, 37 50. *Westminster*—Mount Nebo, 2; Strasburg, 7. 92 96

PITTSBURGH.—*Blairsville*—Murraysville, 17; Poke Run, 20 95. *Pittsburgh*—Bloomfield, 1 50; Chartiers, 10 60; East Liberty, 13; Hopewell, 2 01; Pittsburgh Shady Side, 11 75; West Elizabeth, 5 80. *Redstone*—Fairchance, 2; McClellandtown, 2; Tent, 4. *Washington*—Allen Grove, 2 20; Limestone, 1 53; Lower Buffalo, 7 45; Mill Creek, 5; Mount Olive, 5; Washington 1st, 19 75; Wheeling 3d, 4; Wolf Run, 1 71. *West Virginia*—Morgantown, 12 35; Parkersburg 1st, 5. 154 60

TENNESSEE.—*Union*—Knoxville 2d, 23 25

TOLEDO.—*Bellefontaine*—Bellefontaine, 2 06; Bucyrus, 38 cts.; Rushsylvania, 4; West Liberty, 64 cts. *Huron*—Fremont, 5. *Lima*—Delphos, 2 35. *Kmauce*—Hicksville, 2 25; Lost Creek Union, 1 75. 18 43

WESTERN NEW YORK.—*Buffalo*—Buffalo Lafayette Street, 27 84; Lancaster, 10; Sherman, 30. *Genesee*—Attica, 11 18. *Rochester*—Brighton, 5; Lima 90 cts.; Rochester 1st, 50 78; Rochester St. Peter's, 13 50. 149 20

WISCONSIN.—*Milwaukee*—Ottawa, 46 cts. *Wisconsin River*—Middleton, 89 cts. 1 35

Receipts from Churches.....\$8750 48

REFUNDED.

Rev. J. A. C. Dexter, Iowa, 25; "R. W. B.," Lafayette Coll., 34..... 59 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Rev. W. J. McCord, Wassaic, N. Y., 50 cts.; "C.," Conn., 1; On account of Chas. Wright Estate, Canton, Pa., 22 47; "A. A.," 3; A Friend, Toledo, 1; "J. C. H.," Stillwater, Minn., 2; A Friend, 20; Welsh Calvinistic Churches of New York, Wisconsin, Ohio, and Minnesota, 384 94; "B.," 5; "W.," 25; Chauncey Deweys, Cadiz, O., 50..... 514 91

Total receipts in January.....\$9324 39

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## BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

## RECENT INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS OF MISSIONARIES.—We note the arrival of the Rev. Eugene P. Dunlap and his family from Siam, their return being caused by Mr. Dunlap's ill health. The Rev. Willis Weaver and his family have also arrived from the United States of Colombia. As they do not expect to return to the Mission, the Board expressed for them its kind regards, and its desire for their usefulness in any work to which they may be called. We see that the Rev. William L. Whipple, of the Persia Mission, has been appointed by the American Bible Society to take the superintendence of its Bible work in Persia. If he should accept this appointment, he will still be on intimate terms with his brethren of the Mission, by whom he is held in much esteem.

ADDED TO THE CHURCH.—Mr. Robertson reports one new communicant in the Creek Mission; Mr. Ramsay, three in the Seminole; Mr. Deffenbaugh, thirteen in the year at Lapwai, Nez Perces; and Mr. Condit speaks of three Chinese converts received in Oakland, and three received by the church of Sacramento, California. Mr. Murphy mentions one new communicant received at Gaboon, Africa. Mr. Da Gama reports two new members received by the church of Rio Claro, Brazil. Mr. Merwin refers to one new member received by the church of Valparaiso, Chili. Mr. Phillips reports twenty adults and twelve children baptized at Capulhuac, Mexico.

ORDINATION IN SYRIA.—Dr. Eddy mentions the ordination of one of the native assistants as pastor of the church at Hasbeiya. To this church fourteen new members were added last year.

BIGOTRY IN TRIPOLI, SYRIA.—Mr. Jessup refers to incidents showing a marked change in public opinion. The principal Moslem Sheikh lately met Mr. Jessup, a Greek priest, and a Russian gentleman in the street, and, after friendly conversation, expressed his surprise that such a meeting could take place. He was also outspoken in his praise of one of the English employés of the railroad for his keeping the Sabbath, and his downright fidelity to his trust. A more touching incident was the refusal of a native Christian teacher to resent an insult, though his Greek relatives were eager to have the offender arrested.

ROMAN PRIESTS IN AFRICA.—Mr. Murphy, at Gaboon, refers to the expected reinforcement of the French Romanist Mission there at an early day, by six more priests, and to their purpose to form stations at places now occupied by our mission. The Spanish Romanists also will attempt, for a second time, to establish their work on Corisco. All ves-

tiges of their presence there some years ago have disappeared. It seems to be easy for them to obtain more missionaries, but then their future will be like their past record, not one to hinder the work of our missionaries, if the field continues open—as it will.

**MORE MEN CALLED FOR.**—In the letters acknowledged this month there are renewed calls for more laborers, particularly ministers of the gospel. The Board will be glad to send out several new men, besides the seven now under appointment. Particulars can be learned by correspondence with either of the Secretaries at the Mission House.

**LETTERS RECEIVED TO FEBRUARY 12th.**—From the Seneca Mission, January 21st; Chippewa, January 21st; Omaha, January 19th; Dakota, January 23d; Creek, February 4th; Seminole, January 9th; Nez Perces, January 19th; Oakland, California, January 7th; Yedo, January 2d; Peking, December 1st; Hangchow, December 16th; Ningpo, December 22d; Canton, December 23d; Bangkok, December 8th; Allahabad, December 13th; Mynpurie, December 12th; Lodiana, December 4th; Rawal Pindi, December 9th; Teheran, December 15th; Tabriz, December 22d; Oroomiah, December 10th; Beirut, January 12th; Tripoli, January 14th; Sidon, December 24th; Gaboon, November 25th; Rio de Janeiro, January 3d; Sao Paulo, December 31st; Rio Claro, January 2d; Valparaiso, December 6th; Bogota, December 18th; Mexico, January 20th; Monterey, January 15th.

**RECEIPTS.—MAY TO JANUARY; NINE MONTHS.**

	From churches.	Individual donors.	Bequests.	Total.
1879-80.	\$155,365	\$35,008	\$100,568	\$290,943
1878-79.	132,193	17,882	38,317	188,393

**THE FINANCIAL OUTLOOK**, as shown by these returns, is one of much encouragement. We are truly grateful for the liberal gifts of the nine months above summarized. Earnestly do we hope that this generous support will be continued to the end of the year. All would gladly see a balance in the Mission treasury on the 1st of May. Two months will remain after this number of the *Record* reaches our readers. Let it be remembered that the receipts from the living members of our congregations, the main source of the Board's income, are largely sent in during the latter part of the year; \$186,117, out of \$385,157 for the year, were received in March and April last year. Let these months be times of gracious giving, as the Lord prospers each one, and all will be well. The work will certainly need the continued support of its friends, and in larger measure when practicable, to meet the exigencies of the case. We believe that the good hand of God will still be upon his people in their efforts to promote his kingdom.

## AN ERRONEOUS PARAGRAPH.

A well-meant but erroneous paragraph has appeared in two of our religious newspapers—to the effect that Mr. Walker was summoned by telegraph and decided within an hour to go to Africa, to fill the place left vacant by Dr. Bushnell's lamented death. But 1. This is not the way in which missionary appointments are made; such serious matters usually require time for prayer and for considering many things. 2. Mr. Walker decided to go after several letters had been exchanged on the subject, dated from October 11 to 31. 3. He was on his voyage before the news of Dr. Bushnell's death was received in this country, and he would first learn this sad news on his reaching Africa. We need hardly add that he did not go to fill anybody's place but his own. He goes back to resume labors for which he is almost specially qualified, particularly in preparing Mpongwe text-books for the use of the native missionary laborers.

## THE INDIAN TERRITORY.

The *Presbyterian* of January 31, 1880, contains a paper on "The Indians," signed "R.," written no doubt by the Rev. J. R. Ramsay, of the Seminole Mission, who has been in the Indian Territory most of the time since 1850, and who is largely acquainted with this Territory from personal observation. He corrects the common impression as to the great and general fertility of the land; on the contrary, one-half of it is incapable of cultivation, and nearly all the rest is subject to great drawbacks. It is not, generally, an inviting field for the settlement of white people, even if they could lawfully enter upon it. Mr. Ramsay states strongly and clearly the case of the Indians in this Territory. Except with their own free consent, no change ought to be made there any more than in the case of our farmers and their property in one of our States. At the same time, we wish the Indians would own their land in severalty rather than in common, as greatly best for themselves. The land not held for this purpose might be sold, with their consent, for their benefit by the General Government. But the whole power of our Government should be interposed for their protection in their rights against all invaders and lawless persons. Mr. Ramsay's article is worthy of careful study. We are reminded while reading it that our work of missions for the Indians is the main means of their civilization; but it is far more, even the main means of leading them to become the followers of Christ our Lord, and so giving them a sure title to a better country, even an heavenly.

## A GOOD BEGINNING AT KANAZAWA, JAPAN.

The Rev. T. C. Winn writes from this city, on the 4th of November, giving an account of his removal from Yokohama to Kanazawa, and his

first impressions of his new post of labor. (See December *Record*, page 376.) Unsought work often proves the great work of one's life. In this instance many prayers will be offered for the divine blessing to rest upon our missionary friends and their labors.

Before this reaches you you will have learned, through letters from others of the mission, of the move of Mrs. True and ourselves to this place. The circumstances were such that the decision one way or the other must be made at once, and so had to be decided, I regret, without consultation with the Board in New York. I have desired, ever since coming to Japan, to enter some such field as this, and as there really seemed no necessity for me to remain in Yokohama, I have often spoken of my desire and intention, should the way ever open to me. The offer to come to Kanazawa was not sought, but came to me very unexpectedly indeed. You perhaps know the conditions under which we have come, viz., I teach three hours per day, and Mrs. True one hour, in a government school, for which we receive the sum of 1400 yen (Japanese dollars), which is nearly enough to pay the salary of one married man in Japan. This of course goes into the mission treasury, and we retain our salaries from the Board as before. Though the contract under which we have come is for one year only, still we hope for its renewal, and I hope to remain here for a few years at any rate.

It is just one month to-day since our arrival here, and of course we have not had time to do more than make the smallest beginning. But the signs seem favorable to us. We have had preaching service for three Sabbaths in our houses, and last Sabbath I began a Bible class for my scholars in the school. Ten were present. This Bible class was begun by a Christian gentleman, who had the position which I now have, last year. At our service for preaching in the P. M. there were fifty or sixty present, and most of them from the better class of Japanese. They all listened attentively while I tried to make known "the wages of sin and the gift of God," and after me our native helper, who spoke from the words, "Seek and ye shall find." We brought with us from Tokio Hayashi San and wife, and Degouchi San as Mrs. True's Bible woman. The wife has not yet made profession of faith in Christ, but is no doubt a Christian, so says Mrs. True, who has known her for some time. The others are very intelligent and earnest Christians. They will no doubt be very great helps to us in trying to preach the gospel in this place.

This is a city of 108,000 to 120,000 inhabitants. It is one of the nicest Japanese cities I have seen. This ken or district is the largest in Japan, of which Kanazawa is the capital, or principal town. The governor of the ken lives here, and the government business is largely done here, so that from this, as a centre, if the gospel is preached here, the truth may be expected to spread into the country around. Our position as employés of the government gives us a recommendation to the people, which I think will be helpful to us in the work for which we have come. We are brought into contact with the governor and all of the principal men of the ken, which must necessarily place us before the community,

in so far, in a favorable light. The governor seems very friendly to us indeed, and is a very fine-appearing man. He has once been to England and the United States, I think, in connection with a government embassy. We hope to keep his good will, and pray that his heart may be opened to receive the truth of salvation. We are living in a Japanese house, furnished us by the government. Mrs. True rents part of a house near by, so that we are very close neighbors, and it is exceedingly pleasant to have some company in this great city. There are no other foreigners than our little circle.

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### THE NEW TESTAMENT IN JAPANESE.

We feel at liberty to take the following extract from a personal letter of James C. Hepburn, M.D., our senior missionary in Japan, dated December 10, 1879. It is a narrative of singular interest, and relates to a work of the greatest importance; and it is told with characteristic modesty and clearness:—

We have *finished* the translation and revision of the New Testament. By *we*, I mean the Revising Committee, which, when we finished Revelation, consisted of only three foreigners and one native; when we commenced our work a little over five years ago, the Committee consisted of seven foreigners and four natives. Two of these foreigners—Englishmen residing in Tokiyo (Yedo)—never met with us, not even once; one of our number—Dr. Nathan Brown, a Baptist, and who was sent out expressly to prepare a version according to Baptist notions—continued with us but a short time, when he resigned to prosecute the work in his own way. Our old friend, Dr. S. R. Brown (Dutch Reformed), continued with us until, disabled by disease, he had to go home; but not until we had got to the last book, Revelation. Three of our native assistants also at different times left us; so, as I say, four of us—Dr. McClay (Methodist), Rev. D. C. Greene (Congregationalist), and myself, with Mr. Matsuyama—were permitted to see the work to its end. I may say that Dr. McClay retired from the Committee for an interval of some two years, but resumed the work again in order to keep up our number.

The work for which I have been laboring for twenty years is at last finished, and what shall I say, when I consider the importance of that work?—giving the New Testament to this nation; and you know what that implies. Gratitude and wonder fill my heart, that I should be one of those honored to do such a work, and that my life and health has been kept to the end. You may think I am boasting, but I am not; I cannot help but feel that the Lord has honored me, though I know that in myself I have nothing to boast of.

I often think what a strange fulfillment it is of what I once replied to your honored father. As I was about preparing to come to this country—now nearly twenty-one years ago—he said to me, “What do you expect to do?” I replied, scarcely believing what I said as probable, or hardly possible, that I expected to “make a dictionary of the language and give the Bible to the Japanese.” These were no doubt uppermost

in my mind, as the two important things to be done, but little did I think that I should be permitted to see the fulfillment of what I then said.

I do not expect to do much, if indeed anything, on the Old Testament. Mr. Greene, Dr. Brown and myself were appointed a committee to translate the book of "Proverbs," but Dr. Brown is disabled, Mr. Greene goes home in a few months, and my knowledge of Hebrew would hardly warrant me to enter alone upon such a work, so I fear it will not be done by us. The Old Testament has been given out to a number of local committees—a book to each—but I fear the work goes on very slowly, if indeed at all, most of the missionaries being so busily engaged with other work.

I am just now engaged in Romanizing the New Testament; that is, writing it off in the Roman letter for publication. This is for the convenience of the foreign missionary, as well as for many native, who read the Roman letter. The Japanese New Testament in the Japanese letter is both voluminous, inconvenient and expensive; by Romanizing it, I bring it down to the size of the English copy, which one may carry in his pocket. I hope also to help in this way to substitute in time the Roman letter for the Japanese, which even the Japanese who are able to judge think very desirable.

I am also working on the Confession of Faith, translating it into Japanese; being appointed, along with Mr. Knox, to this work by the Chinkai or Presbytery. I find this even more difficult than the New Testament, but I am making fair progress, and hope to finish it in time for the spring meeting of Presbytery.

I intended to say a word about Matsuyama, our native assistant in translating the New Testament: Mr. Greene brought him with him from Kobe, as his assistant. He has been invaluable; a thorough master of his own language, a man of fine judgment and scholarship, and also an humble Christian. If our work has any merit, it is mainly owing to him. He has been with us through the whole work, always calm, deliberate, unassuming; never losing his temper, but unflinching and decided for what he believed was right; our work would certainly not have been done as well as it is, without him. I have known a good many of the so-called scholars or Gakusha amongst the Japanese, but have not yet met his equal. It was a special providence that brought such a man to our help. Through his help, our version will compare favorably with any version of the New Testament, in any language. It is, indeed, a beautiful piece of composition, and is even more intelligible than the English, to one who understands both languages.

The American Bible Society has thus far had the honor of publishing our translations. It has also paid the salary of Matsuyama, Mr. Greene and Dr. Brown; it would also have paid mine, if our Board had thought best to allow them. I myself preferred to be supported by my own Society and the Church that sent me out.

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#### NOTICES OF MISSIONARY WORK IN THE PUNJAB, INDIA.

Under date of October 21, 1879, the Rev. C. W. Forman writes as follows from his station at Lahore:—

“I don't know whether any one has written to you about a number of faqírs (religious mendicants) on the other side of the Ráví, who are favorably inclined to Christianity. There are probably thirty or forty of them, and their leader, Chet Rám, is not afraid or ashamed to avow his belief in Christ as the Son of God. Some of his followers have, or say they have, been beaten and abused for professing their faith in him, but they seem to rejoice in suffering for his name. They identify themselves with Christians, have great regard for the Bible, of which they have bought several copies, in different dialects, to have them for others to read. They live very simply, only receiving from others what they need for the time, sleeping on the ground, with a kind of quilted cloak on, which is almost their only covering, yet they seem extremely cheerful and good-natured. It is one of their principles not to touch money. One of their adherents, who of course does not go about with them as a mendicant, is a Sikh sardar (nobleman), who seems always ready to pay for what they want, and has agreed to build a church for them at Sar-rakpúr, about eighteen miles from Lahore, exclusively for Christian worship. On the other hand, they are not intelligent, and some of them, I fear, if not all, are addicted to the use of intoxicating drugs, and Chet Rám professes to be driven, by a kind of inspiration, to do whatever he does. Well, of course we should not be over-confident about such movements, but should watch them closely, and try to direct them aright. Mr. C. Newton has made them two visits, and two of our native preachers have just gone to them.

“The gate of the city, where the Ariá, Brahma, and Christian chapels are located, is not the Lahore gate, but the Lohári (or Blacksmith's) gate. We still preach there three times a week to attentive audiences. It is far more satisfactory to preach in chapels than in the streets, but I would not like to give the latter up altogether.

“Oct. 23.—We have had the first lecture for the winter of 1879-80 for English-speaking natives in our school hall. It was delivered by Mr. Ram Chandar Bose, one of Dr. Duff's old pupils, on *Morality without Religion*, showing its insufficiency, danger, and impossibility; a really able lecture, and in almost perfect English. I could not help thinking of the great Teacher while his pupil was delivering such sound sentiments to “Johnny Bengal” and “Young Punjab.” He is to lecture again in the same place to-night on “Sin,” and probably to-morrow and the next day on other subjects.

“You no doubt watch with interest the progress of the war in Afghanistan. Last evening there was a young Afghan at the preaching-place where Atma Ram and I were preaching. I asked him a question, and he replied, “Why should I answer an infidel?” and went on to say a good deal more. I interrupted him by saying his answer was a very good one, when he broke out again with, “If I had two bullets, I would like to give each of you one.” I mention this to show the spirit of these people (Afghans). They are, I think, the most cruel, blood-thirsty people I have ever met with. But fortunately for others, while they set a very low value on the lives of others, they evidently set a much higher value on their own, and are quite anxious enough to keep out of the way of danger.”



## WALDENSIAN MISSIONS IN ITALY.

For many years, through special gifts, the Board has been able to send some aid to our brethren of the Vaudois or Waldensian Synod, in their Italian missionary work. Such aid is attended with no expense for collecting or disbursing. Better "native" missionaries could not be found—speaking the Italian, sound in the faith, Presbyterians in church order, respected throughout Italy, revered throughout Christendom for their wonderful history, better equipped for missionary work than any other laborers in that country, native or foreign, and doing a much larger work than any other, but yet standing greatly in need of support from stronger churches. Their work, as we regard it, is far the best work for our friends to promote by their gifts and their sympathies, as well as by their prayers.

The Rev. Dr. Stewart, of the Scotch Free Church, writes under date of October 6, 1879:—

"A mere abstract of their report is sufficient to show the zeal of the Waldensian Church for the conversion of Italy. There are now 39 churches and 32 stations under the care of 35 ordained ministers and 21 evangelists. There are 78 outside stations which are visited with more or less frequency, and there is one church at Nice which belongs to the Waldenses, and is served by one of its pastors. There are 44 schoolmasters and mistresses employed in teaching in connection with the above churches and stations. The number of communicants is 2813, of regular attendants at church 4584, besides a large number of occasional attendants. The number of catechumens during the past year was 372, and of scholars attending daily schools 1684, Sunday-schools 1636, and evening schools 118. The collections in aid of the missions amounted to lit. 10,261 31—somewhat above £400 sterling, or \$2000. These figures are enough to show the zeal and activity of the laborers, and the success with which God has so evidently crowned them."

One of the Waldensian ministers writes as follows, in October last:—

"That the power of divine grace shown in our mission at Lucca may be better understood, I must in the first place tell you that that town is strongly opposed to evangelical Christianity, and has maintained that opposition ever since the sixteenth century. At that time there was a remarkable religious movement in Lucca, led by Bernardino Ochino, Aonio Paleario, and other eminent reformers. The doctrine of free grace was publicly preached from the pulpits, especially in the Church of San Frediano. Individuals and families accepted that doctrine with the mind and with the heart, and the number was sufficiently large to give the Papal Curia serious thought. And the Papal Curia did think seriously about it, and sent into exile all followers of the reformed faith. Thus Calandrini, Burlamacchi, and many others had to leave their country and take refuge in Switzerland, where even now their descendants are to be found, naturalized Swiss. From the day that the Curia saw

itself absolute mistress of Lucca, that town became a special object of care and vigilance to it—a care which has continued to this day. Very justly, therefore, is it said that '*Lucca is the sacristy of Rome.*' The effect is seen in the tenacity with which the Lucchesi, and particularly the women, hold to their Roman Catholicism, and to some of the most ridiculous practices of that Church, such as walking barefooted in procession (as I myself saw in the course of last winter) to ask for fair weather or rain.

“Yet, even in a town so opposed to the gospel, grace has been manifested, and a little evangelical Waldensian Church has been formed, consisting of about fifty members. What is impossible with men is possible with God. The evangelical Lucchesi display the same character as their Roman Catholic fellow-citizens in regard to their religious opinions. As these are tenacious of popery, so are those tenacious of the gospel. At first the evangelicals were denied esteem and respect, but both have been completely won by their consistent conduct and faithful witness to the truth. Having gained the esteem and respect of their fellow-townsmen, they now look for sympathy from them, to be followed in due time by more numerous conversions to the gospel. The power of divine grace has overcome the first obstacle, and will overcome the others, accomplishing a work of mercy even in Lucca.

“Twenty miles distant from Lucca, and in the same province, is a small town called Barga. Here lives an old man over eighty years of age, who for forty years has been blind and bedridden. This man has a son in North America, carrying on a thriving business as shoemaker. The old man's name is Arcangelo Gasperi, and the son's Massimo Gasperi. Three years ago, a young member of the Waldensian Church in Lucca, Abraham Brogi, emigrated to the same place where Massimo Gasperi had settled down, and after making acquaintance with him he spoke to him of his faith and hope, gave him a Bible, and stirred up in him a desire for further instruction in saving truth. Last year young Gasperi returned to Italy to see his old parents once more, leaving the care of his shop to his friend Brogi. He sought me out and asked me to be taught fully in the evangelical faith, which I most gladly did, dwelling chiefly on salvation through faith and not by works—by grace and not from any merit of our own. The heart of young Gasperi having been opened to receive the Saviour, I asked him before he left me if he would like to read this tract to his old father, which he joyfully agreed to do. Together we asked the Lord for the conversion of the old man, believing that our prayers would be answered. Two months later, a most fervid letter reached me, dictated by the old man (a letter which, together with those that followed, I preserve with care), in which he poured out his whole heart in thanks to God, and to those whom God had made use of to call him to a knowledge of the gospel. He told me how he had given himself entirely to the Saviour, and broken off all connection with the Roman Catholic clergy, and asked me to visit him. I went to see him as soon as I could, and was much edified by his sincerity and the strength of his faith; and in order still further to strengthen the tie which binds his soul to the Lord Jesus, I administered,

at his request, the Lord's Supper to him. I shall visit him again whenever it is possible for me, and I am the more anxious to do so that he tells me there are about twenty persons in Barga waiting to hear the preached Word. Meanwhile we correspond. The conversion of a man of his age (he may be called a dying man—converted on his death-bed) will have great influence in that place in favor of the gospel, particularly as the priests assert that the evangelicals change their views when death is near, and return to the Church of Rome. Now here is an *evangelical* near death who has not been so in his lifetime.

“Let us admire the wonderful means made use of by God for working out his plans of mercy! To reach Barga, twenty miles distant from Lucca, the road taken is by the United States of America.”—*A Voice from Italy, November, 1879.*

#### RECEIPTS FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS IN JANUARY, 1880.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Albany, State St., 192 04; Johnstown, 100; Amsterdam 2d, 99 70; Saratoga Springs 1st sab-sch., 35 15; Charlton, 25; Saratoga Springs 2d, 15 13; Hamilton Union, 12 50; Greenbush, add'l, 9 50. *Champlain*—Burke, 19; Belmont, 9; Mineville, 7. *Columbia*—Hudson, 125; New Lebanon, 8. *Troy*—Troy, Woodside, 144 13, sab-sch., 34 31 (178 44); Glen's Falls, 100; Troy, 2d St., 30 12; Troy, 1st sab-sch., sp., 30; Stillwater 1st, 235 50.  
1021 08

BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Baltimore, Brown Memorial, 82 10, H. D. Hervey, 50, Mrs. E. M. Harrison, 50, Mission sab-sch., 9 29 (191 39); Patapsco sab-sch., sp., 70; Deer Creek, Harmony, 34 74; Emmitsburg sab-sch., 27 26; Aisquith St. sab-sch., 25; Barton sab-sch., 10; Bethel, 5. *New Castle*—New Castle, 142 30, sab-sch., 59 (201 30); Red Clay Creek, 49 45; White Clay Creek, 22 47; Port Penn, 20; Green Hill and Rockland, 10, Green Hill sab-sch., 10 (20); Lower Brandywine, 16 20. *Washington City*—Western, 68; Washington 4th (in part), 61 40; Assembly St. sab-sch., 50; Washington 1st, 48; Westminster, 40; Metropolitan Ladies' Miss'y Soc., 15; North, 4 85; Vienna, 2; Lewinsville, 1.  
983 06

CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Binghamton 1st, 161 66; Union 1st, 27; Windsor, 15; Whitney's Point, 8 08, Ladies' Soc., 6 (14 08); Bainbridge, 12; Smithville Flats 1st, 11; Cannonsville, 6 25, sab-sch., 2 (8 25); Nichols 1st, 7 10; Afton, 2. *Otsego*—Springfield 1st, 127; Milford 1st, 25; Colchester, 3 31. *St. Lawrence*—Hammond, 41; Carthage 1st, 26 88; Henelton, 9 30. *Syracuse*—Syracuse, Park, 175; Syracuse 1st, H. W. Van Buren, 100; Cazenovia 1st, 92 78; Pompey, 36; Manlius, 8 48, J. C. Smith, 10 (18 48); Liverpool, 13 15; Syracuse, 1st Ward, 7 76. *Utica*—Westernville, 53 81; Vernon, 35; New Hartford, 26; Waterville 1st, 21 06; Holland Patent, 21 09; Martinsburg, 7 94, sab-sch., 1 56 (9 50); Turin, 9 26; Vernon Centre, 7 96; Augusta Centre 1st, 3 76. 1121 19

CINCINNATI.—*Chillicothe*—Washington, 15; Concord, 11. *Cincinnati*—Interest on Baxter bequest, 365; Auburn, 100; Wyoming sab-sch., 50; Cincinnati 1st, 50; Delhi, 37; Avondale, 34 50; Cumminsville, 26 45; Cincinnati 7th sab-sch., 20 71; Cincinnati 2d, 18 63; Morrow, 11; Cincinnati, 1st German sab-sch., 10. *Dayton*—Dayton, 3d St., sp. collection, 654 59; Clifton, 132 88; Springfield 1st, 91; Xenia, 47 54; Dayton Memorial, 20, sab-sch. Miss'y Soc., 7 (27); South Charleston, 11 16, sab-sch. 2 22 (13 38); Greenville, 12; Monroe, 6; Middletown, Young People's Association, 5. *Portsmouth*—Manchester, 20, Ladies' Society, 15, sab-sch., 1 (36); Red Oak, 16 59; Jackson 1st, 8 11; Eckmansville, 2.  
1801 38

CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Cleveland 2d, 400; Cleveland 1st, 210 62; S. L. Severance, sp., 30; Ashtabula, 13 47, sab-sch., 9 22 (22 69); Elyria, E. De Witt, 15, E. W. West and family, 7 50 (22 50); Chester, 13;

Willoughby 1st, 8; Cleveland North, 4 69. *Mahoning*—Youngstown 1st, 25 11; Clarksville, 14; Middle Sandy, 8 60; Niles, 4; Hubbard, 3. *Clairsville*—Concord, 30 65, sab-sch., 36 15 (66 80); Rock Hill, 19; Olive, 7 25. *Steubenville*—Uricksville, 21; East Springfield, 20; Two Ridges sab-sch., sp., 15; Carrollton, 13 76; Cross Creek, 6; Long Run, 4 30; Hopedale, 3.  
942 32

COLORADO.—*Colorado*—Trinidad, 25. *Santa Fé*—Laguna, 10.  
35 00

COLUMBIA.—*South Oregon*—Eugene City, 15 00  
COLUMBUS.—*Athens*—Gallipolis, 22 38; Warren, 11; Beverly, 9; Nelsonville, 2 35. *Columbus*—Columbus 1st, 245 25, monthly collection, 73 31, sab-sch., sp., 100 (418 56); Columbus, Hoge, 8 52. *Marion*—Marysville, 15 25; Liberty, 13 35, sab-sch., 1 65 (15); York, “A. M.,” 10; Ashley, 7 40; Brown, 5 60; Radnor, 4; Chesterville, M. Patterson, 1. *Woster*—Mansfield 1st, 22 66, sab-sch., sp., 50 (72 66); Ashland, 52 97; Savannah, 28 70; Plymouth, 8 25, sab-sch. sp., 6 (14 25); Hayesville, 11; Belleville, 4 30; McKay, 2; Jeromeville, 2; Ontario, 2; Shelby, 1 86. *Zanesville*—Granville, 75; Coshocton, 49 37; Duncan's Falls, 15; Utica, 12 52; Jefferson, 10; Keene, 7; Linton, 6 60.  
897 29

ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Sewickley, 420, sab-sch., 201 27 (621 27); Providence, 36 50; Allegheny 2d, 30 98; Emsworth, 24; Cross Roads, 18 77; Freedom, 6 50; Glenfield, 3 15; Bethel, 3. *Butler*—Concord, 48 06; Clintonville, 21; Sunbury, 13 80; Fairview, 5; Petrolia, 2. *Clarion*—Clarion, 18 88; Licking, 3 91; West Millville, 2. *Erie*—Erie Central, 150; Franklin, 85; Meadville 1st, 65; Mercer 1st, 47; Girard, 25 06; Tideoute, 19 41; Waterford sab-sch. Miss'y Soc., sp., 14; Cochranton, 10 58; Belle Valley, 10; Harbor Creek, 8, sab-sch., 2 (10); Venango, 4 10; Harmonsburgh, 5; Hadley, 3 50. *Kittanning*—Ebenezer, 44; Slate Lick, 40; West Lebanon, 40; Rural Valley, 16; Srader's Grove, 12 60. *Shenango*—Neshannock sab-sch., 107 20; Little Beaver, 6; Sharpville, 4 50; Hope-well, 4 32.  
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GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Ithaca, 411; Aurora, 106 13; Auburn 2d, 53 65; Auburn, Calvary sab-sch., 23; Ludlowville 1st, a member, 10. *Chemung*—Elmira 1st, 22 20; Watkins, 22; Rock Stream, 7; Hector, 3. *Geneva*—Phelps, 25 90, sab-sch., 15 (40 90); Seneca Castle sab-sch., sp., 30; Trumansburg, 27 22; Geneva 1st, 24 77; Bellona sab-sch., sp., 20. *Lyons*—Palmyra, 101 81. *Steuben*—Corning, 12 95; Cohocton, 5.  
920 66

HARRISBURG.—*Carlisle*—Harrisburg, Market Square, 118 87; Green Castle, 100; Shippensburg, 76 42; Dauphin, 25, Junior F. M. Society, sp., 40 (65); Great Connewago, Ladies' Miss'y Society, 46 25; Mechanicsburg sab-sch., sp., 46; Gettysburg, 39 13, sab-sch., 6 37 (45 50); Carlisle 1st, 36 85; Millerstown, 32; Paxton, 21 84; Newport, 16; Duncannon, 9, sab-sch., 3 (12); McConnellsburg, 7 26, sab-sch., 1 40 (8 66); 13;

Harrisburg, 7th St., 7; Green Hill, 6 74; Landsburg, 5; Wells Valley, 3 14; Shermansdale, 2. *Huntingdon*—Spruce Creek, 258 05, Penn Furnace sab-sch., 16 25, Graysville sab-sch., 7 10, Rock Spring sab-sch., 16 (297 40); West Kishacoquillis, 50, Allenville sab-sch., 27, Shiloh sab-sch., 9, Belleville, 34 (120); Alexandria, 86, sab-sch., 10 (96); Hollidaysburg 1st, 24 74, sab-sch., 6 41 (31 15); Logan's Valley, 26; Osceola, 20; Tyrone, 16 25; Clearfield sab-sch., 15 80; Shade Gap, 12 57; Beulah, 12; Millfintown sab-sch., 11 70; Lower Spruce Creek, 16 50; Houtzdale, 4; Mann's Choice, 2. *Northumberland*—Williamsport 1st, 40, sab-sch., 50 (90); Washington, 75 60; Mahoning, 64 61, sab-sch., 10 (74 61); Grove, 47 50, sab-sch., 15 (62 50); Bald Eagle and Nittany, 34 45; Williamsport 2d, 34 40; Warrior Run, 17 50; Chillisquaque sab-sch., Mission Band, 15; Millfintown, 8 67. *Wellsboro*'—Wellsboro, 26 31, sab-sch., 4 61 (30 92); Kane, 7 75. 1782 04

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.—*Bloomington*—Champaign, 84 17; Clinton, 28 24, sab-sch., 2 76, Mrs. Walters' Class, 10 17 (41 17); Gilman 1st and sab-sch., 16 50; Gibson, 8 46; Gowanda, 5 29, sab-sch., 2 71 (8); Waynesville, 2 50. *Peoria*—Prospect, 43, Hugh S. Yates, 50 (93); Eureka, 15 30; Lewistown, 14 33; Ipava, 13. *Schuyler*—Mount Sterling 1st, 26; Ebenezer, 23; Carthage 1st sab-sch., 22 94; Hersman, 9; Clayton 1st, 4. *Springfield*—Jacksonville, Central, 30. 411 37

ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—Chicago 2d, 330 61; Chicago 6th, 88 69, sab-sch., 41 41 (130 10); Lake Forest, 50; Riverside, 25 38; Kankakee 1st, 24; Chicago 3d, 20; Chicago 8th, Bible-class, 15; Jefferson Park, 14 16; Dunton, 8 76. *Freeport*—Freeport 1st, 99 68; Zion Ladies' Society, 25 42; Winnebago, 15 70; Lena, 8 50, sab-sch., 5 (13 50); Galena, German, 8, sab-sch., 4 (12); Marengo sab-sch., 5 64; Cedarville, 5; Scales Mound, 3 11. *Ottawa*—Aurora 1st, 8 40; Oswego, 2 32. *Rock River*—Princeton, 32, sab-sch., 2 (34); North Henderson, 20, sab-sch., 8 (28); Camden, 16 64, Ladies' F. M. Society, 3 40 (20 04); Edgington, 12; Woodhull, 10, sab-sch., 2 (12); Rock Island, Broadway, 5 25; Fulton, 3 50; Ashton, 3 25; Pleasant Ridge, 3. 931 82

ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Alton*—Virden, 25 86; Hillsboro, 13 58, sab-sch., 8 30 (21 88); Plainview, 7; Edwardsville, 6; Elm Point, 3 25; Spring Cove, 3 10; Greenville, 2 60. *Cairo*—Centralia 1st sab-sch., 30; Enfield, 15 20; Du Quoin, 23 20; Pisgah, 16; Cairo 1st, 12; Salem 4, friend 4 (8); Fairfield, 7; Flora, 7; Du Bois, sp., 6; Tamaroa, 5; Harrisburg, 3; Union, 3; Bridgeport, 2; Equality, 1. *Mattoon*—Brownstown, 4. 227 04

INDIANA NORTH.—*Crawfordsville*—Bethany, 36 50; Frankfort, 34; Judson, 9. *Fort Wayne*—Fort Wayne 1st, 83 84; Goshen, 35; Kendallville, 18; Elkhart, 8; La Grange, 7; Lima, 6 20; Piercetown, 2; Auburn, 2 50. *Logansport*—Bethel, 5. *Muncie*—Wabash, 9 25. 256 29

INDIANA SOUTH.—*Indianapolis*—Indianapolis 2d, 56 75; Indianapolis 3d, 41; Franklin, 40 54; Southport, 5 25; Indianapolis 11th and sab-sch., 3. *New Albany*—Hanover, 13 65; Rehoboth, 2 75; Sharon, 2 25. *Vincennes*—Evansville, Walnut St., 44; Vincennes, 14 60, sab-sch., 4 60 (19 20); Sullivan, 11 50; Homesville, 2 30. *White Water*—Connersville sab-sch., 125 71; Aurora, 1. 268 90

IOWA NORTH.—*Cedar Rapids*—Mechanicsville, 24 40; Vinton, 43 97; Wyoming, 23 25; Blairstown, 31 63; Onslow, 8 75; Bellevue, 7. *Dubuque*—Hopkinton, 8 53; Ludlow, Young Men's Christian Assoc'n, 5; McGregor, 5; Lansing, German sab-sch., 2. *Fort Dodge*—Sac City, 2. *Waterloo*—State Centre, 6 73, sab-sch., 5 (11 73); Tranquility, 10; Albion, 8. 191 26

IOWA SOUTH.—*Des Moines*—Winterset, 24; Adell 1st, 16 30; Chariton, 9 01; Osceola, 8 31; Newton 1st, 5 90; Leon, 3 91, sab-sch., 1 17 (5 08); Colfax, 4; Wankee, 3 50; Medora, 2; Russell, Mrs. B. and Mrs. C., for Loss, 1. *Iowa*—Burlington, 57 50, Gr. Hill, Ladies' Miss'y Society, 30, sab-sch., sp., 50 (137 50); Fairfield, 50; Mount Pleasant 1st, 45; Keokuk, Westminster 1st, 17 06; New London, 8; Summit, 6; Batavia, 2 50. *Iowa City*—Tipton, 12 07, Ladies' Miss'y Society, 23, Young Ladies' Society, 7 01, sab-sch., 5 (47 08); Washington, 22 20; Crawfordsville, 15; West Liberty, 9; Marengo 1st, 8 51. 446 95

KANSAS.—*Emporia*—Newton, 12 73; Florence, 7 05. *Highland*—Highland, 14 25; Irving, 10. *Larned*—Hutchinson, sp., 7 75; Lyons, 1 65. *Neosho*—Ottawa, 13; Iola, 10 50; Monmouth, add'l, 4 45; Chetopa 1st, 1 25. *Topeka*—Topeka 1st sab-sch., sp., 36 17; Bethel, 7; Clay Centre, 5; North Topeka, 3; Riley Centre 2. 135 80

KENTUCKY.—*Ebenezer*—Covington 1st sab-sch., 94 30; Maysville 1st, 5 90. *Louisville*—Louisville Central, 50 15; Olivet, 5 25. *Transylvania*—Columbia, bequest of Miss V. Mitchell, dec'd, per Ladies' Miss'y Society, 57; Paint Lick, 14 50. 227 10

LONG ISLAND.—*Brooklyn*—Brooklyn 1st, 713 56; Westminster Miss'y Assoc'n, sp., 100, South 3d St., W. Burgh, 36 03, German Mission sab-sch., 50 (86 03); Edgewater 1st, 69 50; Throop Avenue, 34 30, sab-sch. Miss'y Ass'n, 28 89 (55 19); Clinton St., 37 73; West New Brighton, Calvary, 30; La Fayette Ave., 23 50. *Long Island*—Bridgehampton, 40 72; Moriches, 20; Yaphank, 11; Port Jefferson, 5, sab-sch., 3 13 (8 13). *Nassau*—Islip, 10 97; Roslyn, 6. 1212 33

MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Detroit 1st, 165, W. S. Crawford, 100 (265); Detroit, Fort St., Young Men's Foreign Miss'y Society, 125; Detroit, Westminster, 94; Mount Clemens, 48; Plymouth 1st, 40; Holley, 17; Birmingham sab-sch., 15; Stony Creek, 12; Detroit, Central sab-sch., 10. *Kalamazoo*—Kendall, 5; White Pigeon, 3. *Lansing*—Marshall, 41 73; Concord, 27 01; Hastings, 19. *Monroe*—Coldwater 1st, 22; California, 5. *Saginaw*—Flint 1st, 45 75; Morrice, 6. 800 49

MINNESOTA.—*Mankato*—Mankato 1st, 65; Jackson, 6; Tracy, 1 10. *St. Paul*—Minneapolis, Andrew, 40; Stillwater 1st, 11 70; Fargo, 6; Grand Forks, 4; Shakopee, 4. *Waconia*—Claremont, 7; Freemont 1st, 6 10; Caledonia sab-sch., 4 26; Chester, 4; La Crescent, 3; Hokah, 2. 164 16

MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Butler 1st, 12; Appleton City 1st, 6 83; Ebenezer, 5; Olive Branch, 3; Westfield, 2 70; Jefferson City, 1 85. *Palmyra*—Brookfield, 8; Sullivan 1st, 7 60; Birds Eye Ridge, 3 80; Sedgewick, 2 70. *Platte*—Parkville, 2 50, sab-sch., 2 50 (5); St. Joseph, North, 2 65. 61 13

NEBRASKA.—*Nebraska City*—Nebraska City 1st sab-sch., 2 45; Fairbury, 1 50. *Omaha*—Belle Centre, 2 76. 6 71

NEW JERSEY.—*Elizabeth*—Elizabeth, Westminster, 80; Roselle, 44 40; Elizabethport, 37; Cranford, 30 67; Pluckamin, 12 50; Elizabeth 3d sab-sch., 12 30; Summit, Central, 11 99. *Jersey City*—Paterson 1st, 114; Englewood, monthly concert, 103 20; Rutherford Park, 1st, 16 80; Tenafly, 9 45. *Monmouth*—Cranbury 2d, 71 21; Mount Holly, 41 28, sab-sch., 36 87 (78 25); Burlington, 67 83; Farmingdale, 25 31; Columbus, 13 88, sab-sch., 7 50 (21 38); Cream Ridge, 16; Bricksburg, 14 75; Providence, 5, sab-sch., 4 (9); Bordentown, 7 75; Jacksonville, 6; Plumstead, 5; Manchester, 5. *Morris and Orange*—Morristown, South St. sab-sch. Miss'y Ass'n, 200; Orange 1st, 100; Chester, 70; Fairmount, 5; Mendham 2d, 4 53. *Newark*—Montclair, 666 94; Newark, South Park, 385 60; Newark, 1st, 157 25; Bloomfield, Westminster, 50; Newark, Calvary, 45 05; Newark 3d, 16 11; Newark, Park, 28 01. *New Brunswick*—Trenton 1st, 850; Princeton 2d, Woman's Miss'y Soc'y, 125; Kingston, 41 82; Trenton, Prospect St., 30 02; Lawrenceville, Central sab-sch., 28 28; Kirkpatrick Memorial, 25; Princeton, mo. concert, 17 98; Amwell 2d, 12; Alexandria 1st, 3, sab-sch., 3 (6); Bound Brook, 10; Dayton 1st, 5 78; Trenton 5th, 3 41, sab-sch., 1 84 (5 25). *Newton*—Washington 1st, 75; Blairstown sab-sch., 25 59; Oxford 2d, 25; Harmony, 24 50; Belvidere 1st, 24 40; Greenwich, 14 80; Bloomsbury 1st, 18; Yellow Frane, 9 18; Stillwater, 7; Phillipsburg 2d sab-sch., 5 41; Wantage 2d, 5; Stanhope, 2; Swartswood 1. *West Jersey*—Bridge-  
town Its, 175; Salem, 64 30, sab-sch., 99 75 (164 05); Camden 1st, 57 79; Cedarville 1st, 10 06; Waterford, 5, sab-sch., 1 (6); Mays Landing, 2. 4337 39

NEW YORK.—*Boston*—Newton, Highlands sab-sch., sp., 10; Londonderry, 8. *Hudson*—Ramapo, 150; Middletown 2d, 21 54, sab-sch., sp., 91 46 (113); Goshen, 60 62; Hamptonburg, 30 25, sab-sch., 6 (36 25); Mount Hope, 27; Port Jervis, 25; Scotchtown, 16 55; Washingtonville 1st sab-sch., 9 12; Stony Point, 1; Ridge-  
bury, 50 cts. *New York*—Fifth Avenue, 8421 54; Rutgers, 308 50; First sab-sch., 90 16, Mission sch.,

78 (168 16); Puritans, 147 44; Scotch sab-sch., 125; Thirteenth St., 105 65; Canal St., 30; Washington Heights, 28; Harlem, 34 47; Fourteenth St., 23 68; Allen St. sab-sch. Missy's Society, 5. North River—Rondout sab-sch., 62 50; Smithfield, 27; Pleasant Plains, 17 70, sab-sch., 7 87 (25 57); Malden, 6 45; Newburg, Calvary, 5 72; Little Britain, 4; Hughsonville, 2 15; Pleasant Valley, 1 60. Westchester—Rye, 263; Peekskill 1st, 82 63, sab-sch., 75 (157 63); Bridgeport 1st, 82 14; South Salem, 44 50; Mount Kisco, 20 30; Croton Falls, add'l, 3.

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PACIFIC.—Benicia—Napa, 10 50. San Francisco—Danville, 5. San José—Gilroy, 6 45. 21 95

PHILADELPHIA.—Chester—Oxford, 151 75, Union sab-sch., 3 (154 75); Forks of Brandywine, 76 66; Coatesville, 21; Fairview, 13; Downingtown, Central, 6; Trinity, 2 56. Lackawanna—Scranton 1st, Juvenile Missy's Assoc'n, sp., 250; Brandt, Harmony, 66 68; Troy, 54 36; Tunkhannock, 8 12; Plymouth, 2 48, sab-sch., 5 32 (7 80); Orwell, 5; Liberty, 4 52; Stevensville, 3; Rushville; 2. Lehigh—Upper Lehigh, 23 76; Stroudsburg 1st sab-sch., 16 11. Philadelphia—Philadelphia 10th, 1034; Philadelphia 2d, 300; Philadelphia 3d, Men's Foreign Missy's Society, 133 87, sab-sch., 76 26 (20 13); Tabernacle, 90; Immanuel, Clinton St., 35; Wharton St., 32; Chambers, 26. Philadelphia Central—Spring Garden, 242 07; West Arch St., 149 64; Cohocksink sab-sch., 15; Kensington sab-sch., 9 10; Corinthian Avenue, German, 4. Philadelphia North—Norristown 1st, sp., 52 23, sab-sch., sp., 124 06 (176 29); Falls of Schuylkill, 40 63; Market Square, Germantown, 31 36; Neshaminy, Warwick sab-sch., 34 70; Bridesburg, 22 28; Conshohocken, 10; Providence, 7 50; Frankford, 7 09. Westminster—Strasburg, 10 50, sab-sch., 22 (32 50); Cedar Grove, 25; Slate Ridge, 24 12; Mount Joy, 16, sab-sch., 5 (21); Slaterville sab-sch., 17 42; Leacock, 14 81; Mount Nebo, 2 45. 3329 41

PITTSBURGH.—Blairsville—Blairsville, 224 61, sab-sch., 100 (324 61); Greensburg, 61 55; Latrobe, 50; Congruity, 23, sab-sch., 8 (31); Beulah sab-sch., 20; New Salem, 17; Pine Run, 17; Cross Roads, 10 43. Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 3d, 1451 33; East Liberty, 1141; Pittsburgh 1st, 529 40; Raccoon, 175, sab-sch., 63 63 (238 63); Pittsburgh, Central, 194 20; Shady Side (of which for Loss, 73), 102 38; Bellefield, 85; Cannonsburg, 43 50; Sharon, 37 73; Oakdale, 37 45; Centre, Ladies' Missy's Society, 29; West Elizabeth, 20; Montours, 16; Millers Run, 15 12; Mount Olive, 6; Homestead, 4 36. Redstone—West Newton, 38 60, sab-sch., 10 (48 60); Pleasant Unity, 42; Connellsville, 39 03. Washington—Wheeling 1st, 230; Claysville, 75 40, sab-sch., 11 55 (86 95); Washington 1st, 41 33; Upper Ten Mill, 20, sab-sch., 18 38 (38 38); New Cumberland sab-sch., 37 32; Holliday's Cove, 31; Wellsburg, 24 09, sab-sch., 6 65 (20 74); Waynesburg, 12 35; Frankfort, 9; Mount Prospect sab-sch., 5 14; Moundsville, 5 19. West Virginia—Kanawha, 34 40; Glenview, 5; Newburg, 4. 5183 12

TENNESSEE.—Holston—Jonesboro', sp., 10; Oakland, 2, sab-sch., 5 50 (7 50); Mount Bethel, 1, sab-sch., sp., 6 (7); Trinity and sab-sch., sp., 2; Mount Lebanon, sp., 1 10. Kingston—Bethel, 3 66, sab-sch., 9 (6 66); New Providence, 5 81; Marysville 2d, 1. Union—New Market, 8 54; Strawberry Plains, 4 65; Hopewell, 2; Westminster, 1 70. 60 96

TEXAS.—Austin—Galveston, Rev. H. P. Young, 2 50, Miss R. Balimar, 2 50. 5 00

TOLEDO.—Bellefontaine—Bellefontaine 1st, 11 11; De Graff, 4 10; West Liberty, 3 42; Bucyrus, 1 97. Huron—Fremont, 15. Lima—Ottawa 1st, 24; Lima, 15; Delphos, 12 66; St. Mary's, 5; Celina, 1. Maumee—West Bethesda, 50; Toledo 1st, 37; Defiance 15. 195 26

WESTERN NEW YORK.—Buffalo—Buffalo, Westminster 1st, 117 55; Buffalo, Lafayette, 104 52; Buffalo North 1st, 61 15; Lancaster, 70, sab-sch., 50 (120); East Aurora, 23, sab-sch., 7 (30); Silver Creek, 21; Buffalo, West Side, 12 50; Alden, 7 25; Panama, 2. Genesee—Warsaw, 128 75, sab-sch., 70 08 (198 83); Attica, 125 84; Corfu, 91 48; Batavia, 92 14; Le Roy, 35 50; Pike, 15. Niagara—Porter, 28. Rochester—Genesee Village 1st, 262; Rochester 3d, 148; Brighton, 40, sab-sch., 25 (65); Dansville, 50; Rochester, St. Peters, 40 50; Victor 1st, 26 90; Genesee 1st, 6 50; Lima, 4 88. 1666 54

WISCONSIN.—Chippewa—Eau Claire, 15; Hudson 1st, 13 20; Neshonoc, 8 70, sab-sch., 53 cts. (9 23); Neillsville sab-sch., sp., 3; Lewis Valley, 1. Lake Superior—Nagaunee, 12. Milwaukee—Waukesha 1st sab-sch., 29; Pike Grove 2d, sab-sch., 3 83 (24 83); Geneva Lake, 7 69; Beloit, German, 4; Stone Bank, 3 36; Ottawa, 2 46. Winnebago—Beaver Dam 1st, 31 52. Wisconsin River—Middleton, 4 81. 161 10

Woman's Board of Foreign Missions for the Northwest.....	5136 12
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Philadelphia.....	3603 00
Woman's Board of Foreign Missions, Albany branch.....	814 22
Total amount received from Churches in January.....	\$9553 34
	\$51,506 62

LEGACIES.

Legacy of Mrs. J. S. Cochran, dec'd.....	625 00
Legacy of Mrs. P. Emmack, dec'd, Baldwinville, N. Y.....	250 00
Bequest of S. P. Kerr, dec'd, Alleghany Co., N. Y.....	199 50
	\$1074 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Rev. R. Taylor, D.D., sp., 100; J. L. Rhea, Tenn., sp., 10; J. H. Beck, Iowa, 5; Mrs. C. P. Stokes, N. Y., 150; James Dubuar, Mich., 10; Mrs. J. Brown, N. Y., sp., 25; A. B. K., 25; J. C. Henning, Minn., 5; W. H., 8 90; D. O. Calkins, 10; Rev. W. J. McCord, N. Y., 75 cts.; Thos. Williamson, N. Y., 20; a friend of the poor, sp., 20; Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood, N. Y., 250; R. T. Davis, Ill., sp., 35; E. H. Plumb, N. Y., 7; Henry Brewster, Pa., 10; A. Adriance, N. Y., 10; "Tithes" from Mary, Elenor, and Cullie, Ohio, 1; S. V. Hale, N. Y., 4; W. E. Honeyman, 10; Rev. J. Clark, D.D., Phila., 100; Rev. L. B. Rogers, N. Y., 5; J. H. & A. Stewart, Pa., 10; Little Grace Lee, Baltimore, 5; A friend, 16,029 98; C. Conn., 10; Rev. J. Leighton, Mo., 20; Mrs. H. H. Gibony, Ohio, sp., 20; Mrs. C. Tew, N. Y., sp., 100; Union Theological Seminary, N. Y., Society of Inquiry, 7 37; Friends in Cong. Church, East Bloomfield, N. Y., 29; C. C. and children, Pa., 15; Rev. A. D. Mitchell, D. D., Kans., 10; A friend in Pa., 100; Friend, 1; Rev. H. E. Spayd, N. J., 3 50; Rev. George Morris, Baltimore, 2000; M. H. D., 10; Rev. S. McC. Anderson, D.D., Ohio, 25; W. S. Hubbard, Indianapolis, 100; G. S. Miller, 15; Friends in N. H., 200; Friend, Toledo, 1; From "friends at home," 150; J. E. Cooper, Ky., 5; Rev. H. B. Scott, 3; Robert S. Williams, Utica, N. Y., 100; Miss E. B. Smith, Col., 4; Jas. Stewart, Wis., 2; "A Presbyter," 50; Rev. W. Bradley, Va., 5; Friend, 1; E. Holden, Md., 1; Interest on fund left by Thos. Cope, dec'd, Phila., for Africa, per S. D. Powell, att'y, 135; J. Mc Cormick, Mo., 5; Chauncy Deweys, Ohio, 50; J. B. W. Ill., 1; "W," 15; Rev. Alex. Heberton, Phila., 5; C. A. B., Phila., 5; Rev. D. L. Dickey, Hookstown, Pa., 10; R. D. Harry, Pa., 8; S. G. S., Phila., 25; Rev. R. Craighead, Pa., 100; Sammie Fosdick, dec'd, per his mother, 16; Rev. J. H. Jones, Rome, N. Y., 18; A pastor, sp., 2; G. H. McKay, Chicago, 75. 20,318 50

Total amount received in January, 1880.....	\$72,899 62
Total amount received from May 1st, 1879, 290,943 58	
Amount received from Sabbath-schools in January, 1880.....	3,941 01
Total amount received on account of banker's failure.....	7,261 41

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## OPEN DOORS.

A vast population is pouring into Colorado and New Mexico. The railroads are pushing towards Old Mexico and the Pacific coast, letting the daylight of a Christian civilization into regions made dark and desolate by Papal superstition.

It is gratifying to know that a spirit of inquiry is growing among the Spanish-speaking population of Colorado and New Mexico. Our missionaries plead for Spanish literature. The people are seeking for the true way. We have been able to send forward but a scant supply. Our funds will not permit us to meet all the wants of these faithful missionaries. Grand opportunities are opening for the Church. The railroads, that do not stop for mountains or rivers, must be followed. The tract and book missionary must scatter the seeds of gospel truth.

Who will help us supply the needs of these new fields?

Not only these promising fields, but scores of others which Providence has opened to the Church. From Utah, Wyoming, Montana, and Idaho Territories come most earnest pleadings for the tracts, papers, and books of the Board. Home missionaries find them invaluable auxiliaries in their work. Children can be won through the papers of the Sabbath-school. Parents, otherwise unapproached, can be reached through the children.

What shall we do? It is evident that, as a Board, we can go no farther in this work than the benevolence of the Church will allow. Will you help us enter these open doors?

## WHO SHALL TEACH OUR CHILDREN?

The following article, from the Methodist Episcopal *S. S. Journal*, is worthy of consideration by others than Methodists. For "Conference" read "Assembly."

"We give our readers an earnest word of protest against the plans which are seeking to crowd into our schools 'new,' 'cheap,' 'sensational,' and 'popular' Lesson Helps. Let our superintendents, and especially

our pastors, be on their guard. Your own journals, and quarterlies, and leaves and books are equal to the best in the world, and better than the most. Patronize your own. Make no pledges for the future until you have consulted your own standards."

So say we to the pastors and superintendents and teachers and parents in our church. Patronize your own Sunday-school literature. Whatever it may be to others, or whatever the systems of others may be to them, that is the best for you which is prepared by an editor chosen by your own General Conference. You can accept it with perfect confidence, knowing that it will contain nothing contrary to our orthodox standards. How do you know what you may find, or what essential may be omitted, in a system prepared by professionals, appointed by no church, and responsible to no church—whose literature is so "broad and catholic" that anybody may use it a year and never discover what the editor believes, or to what church he belongs—if a member of the church at all? This fact, and especially the name of the church, is never mentioned, fearing lest other branches may withdraw their patronage.

"Business" is the object of these plausible "undenominational," "unsectarian" Sunday-school literature venders.

"Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and found in the temple those that sold oxen and sheep and doves, and the changers of money sitting; and when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep and the oxen; and poured out of the changers' money, and overthrew the tables; and said unto them, 'Take these things hence; make not my Father's house a house of merchandise.'"

The application is easy. This is a day of sharp competition and counterfeits and deceptions. Nearly every leading manufacturer has been compelled to adopt a trade-mark or stamp for the protection of his own reputation and the interest of his customers against defects covered up by a fair exterior. In our cities it has been found necessary to appoint inspectors of meats and drugs and oils, whose brand is the only guarantee of safety. Are these articles more important than the spiritual food of our children?

If we believe the doctrines of our church, let us teach them out of our own standards to those who are to come after us.

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#### A STRIKING INCIDENT.

An excellent book, tract and Sabbath-school missionary of the Board, now laboring on *Long Island*, sends us the following striking incident in his labors:

"A lady with whom I was recently conversing said, 'My husband was long an infidel. One day a missionary came to our home. Seeing my husband at work in the garden, the missionary gave him a tract, which I saw him bring in the house at night and very carefully put away. From that time my husband was a changed man. About two years after he died, with a good hope in Christ.' *I gave him that tract.*"

C. T. C.

## CASH RECEIPTS FOR THE MISSIONARY WORK OF THE BOARD OF PUBLICATION, JANUARY, 1880.

☞ Synods in SMALL CAPITALS.—Presbyteries in *italics*—Churches in Roman.

ALBANY.— <i>Albany</i> —Albany 2d, 171; Albany State Street, 24 22; Saratoga Springs 1st ch. sab-sch., 4 44; Saratoga Springs 2d, 1 19. <i>Columbia</i> —Hudson, 10. <i>Troy</i> —Salem, 10; Sandy Hill, 3 75; Troy 2d, 15 85; Whitehall ch. sab-sch. Miss'y Soc, 20 81. 261 98	
ATLANTIC.— <i>East Florida</i> —St. Augustine 1st, 23 15. <i>Yadkin</i> —Mount Pleasant ch. sab-sch., 1 68. 24 83	
BALTIMORE.— <i>Baltimore</i> —Baltimore Brown Memorial Mission sab-sch., 5 79. <i>New Castle</i> —Port Penn ch. sab-sch., 3 12. 8 91	
CENTRAL NEW YORK.— <i>Binghamton</i> —Binghamton 1st, 21 55. <i>St. Lawrence</i> —Brownville, 2 57. <i>Syracuse</i> —Amboy ch. sab-sch., 5 70; Manlius ch. (sab-sch., 1), 2 07; Pompey ch. sab-sch., 2; Syracuse 1st, 25; Syracuse First Ward, 73 cts. <i>Utica</i> —Vernon, 10. 72 62	
CINCINNATI.— <i>Chillicothe</i> —Frankford ch. sab-sch., 9 30. <i>Cincinnati</i> —Cincinnati 2d, 102 58; Delhi, 5; Goshen, 5; Monroe ch. sab-sch., 2. 123 58	
CLEVELAND.— <i>Cleveland</i> —Ashtabula, 2 75; Brecksville ch. sab-sch., 3 40; Cleveland Euclid Street, 26 57; Cleveland North, 59 cts. <i>Mahoning</i> —Ellsworth ch. sab-sch., 6; Middle Sandy ch. sab-sch., 2; Poland, 8. <i>St. Clairsville</i> —Cadiz ch. sab-sch., 37 08; St. Clairsville, 30. <i>Steubenville</i> —Hopedale, 3. 119 39	
COLORADO.— <i>Santa Fe</i> —Laguna, 5 00	
COLUMBUS.— <i>Athens</i> —Beverly ch. sab-sch., 7 90. <i>Columbus</i> —London (sab-sch., 10), 18. <i>Merion</i> —Chesterville, 3 46. <i>Wooster</i> —Plymouth ch. sab-sch., 12. <i>Zanesville</i> —Jersey ch. sab-sch., 7 50. 48 89	
ERIE.— <i>Allegheny</i> —Fairmount, 3 15; Glenfield, 2 45. <i>Butler</i> —Karns City, 3; Petrolia, 1 34; Unionville ch. sab-sch., 3 20. <i>Erie</i> —Cool Spring ch. sab-sch., 4; Erie Central, 25. <i>Kittanning</i> —Saltsburg ch. sab-sch., 5 50. <i>Shenango</i> —New Brighton ch. sab-sch., 10. 57 64	
GENEVA.— <i>Cuyaga</i> —Aurora, 14 11. <i>Chemung</i> —Elmira 1st, 2 80. <i>Steuben</i> —Corning, 1 63. 18 54	
HARRISBURG.— <i>Carlisle</i> —Gettysburg ch. sab-sch., 9 09; Green Hill, 85 cts.; Harrisburg Seventh Street, 10; Landisburg, 2; McConnellsburg, 92 cts.; Shermansdale, 1; Wells Valley, 40 cts. <i>Huntingdon</i> —Duncansville, 7 50; Mifflintown ch. sab-sch., 11 69. <i>Northumberland</i> —Williamsport 2d, 4 45. <i>Wellsboro'</i> —Mansfield (sab-sch., 10), 14; Wellsboro', 333. 65 23	
ILLINOIS CENTRAL.— <i>Peoria</i> —Brunswick, 4; Lewis-ton ch., 14 13, sab-sch., 101 29 = 115 42; Salem, 5. 124 42	
ILLINOIS NORTH.— <i>Chicago</i> —Peotone ch. sab-sch., 5 81; Will, 1. <i>Freeport</i> —Freeport 2d ch. sab-sch., 5 12; Rockford Westminster, 4 41. <i>Ottawa</i> —Granville ch. sab-sch., 2. <i>Rock River</i> —Fulton, 1; Millersburg ch. sab-sch., 2; Pleasant Ridge ch. sab-sch., 1 82. 23 16	
ILLINOIS SOUTH.— <i>Alton</i> —Jerseyville, 16 75; Sugar Creek, 2 25; Trenton, 3 25; Virden, 2 52. <i>Cairo</i> —Du Quoin, 2 25; Tamaroa, 2. <i>Mattoon</i> —Kansas ch. sab-sch., 5. 34 02	
INDIANA NORTH.— <i>Crawfordsville</i> —Frankfort, 7; Zionsville ch. sab-sch., 2. <i>Fort Wayne</i> —Fort Wayne 1st, 31 68; Kendallville ch. sab-sch., 4. <i>Muncie</i> —Wabash, 1 17. 45 85	
IOWA NORTH.— <i>Waterloo</i> —Waterloo ch. sab-sch., 2 00	
IOWA SOUTH.— <i>Des Moines</i> —Lineville ch. sab-sch., 3 25; Rev. J. A. Carothers, 3. <i>Iowa</i> —Burlington 1st, 3 52; Keokuk Westminster, 2 15; Summit, 2. <i>Iowa City</i> —Martinsburg ch. sab-sch., 3 70; Sigourney ch. sab-sch., 3 24; Washington, 2 80. 23 66	
KANSAS.— <i>Emporia</i> —Rock Creek, 1 11. <i>Neosho</i> —Iola, 3 15. <i>Topeka</i> —Riley Centre, Ger., 1. <i>Solomon</i> —Ellsworth 1st, 2 12. 7 38	
KENTUCKY.— <i>Ebenezer</i> —Maysville 1st, 1 85	
LONG ISLAND.— <i>Nassau</i> —Hempstead ch. sab-sch., 27 00	
MICHIGAN.— <i>Detroit</i> —Dearborn, 1; Detroit Westminster, 11 73; East Naukin, 1; Ypsilanti ch. sab-sch., 7. <i>Kalamazoo</i> —Kendall, 3; White Pigeon, 4. <i>Lansing</i> —Concord, 5 42. <i>Monroe</i> —California, 2; Coldwater (sab-sch., 4 41), 9 41; Quincy, 5. 49 56	
MINNESOTA.— <i>Mankato</i> —St. Peter's ch. sab-sch., 17 96	
MISSOURI.— <i>Osage</i> —Jefferson City, 23 cts.; Sedalia sab-sch., 9 10; Sunny Side ch. sab-sch., 1 55.	
<i>Ozark</i> —Greenfield, 2 15. <i>Platte</i> —Parkville, 2 16. <i>St. Louis</i> —Kirkwood, 26 15; Salem, Ger., 2 50; St. Louis 2d ch. sab-sch., 35; St. Louis Glasgow Avenue, 10, sab-sch., 8 05 = 18 05; St. Louis Lafayette Park, 4 60. 101 49	
NEW JERSEY.— <i>Elizabeth</i> —Elizabeth 3d, 4 66; Perth Amboy 1st ch. sab-sch., add'l, 25; Pluckamin, add'l, 5; Summit Central, 95 cts. <i>Jersey City</i> —Jersey City 1st, 15; Tenafly, 1 19. <i>Morris and Orange</i> —Boonton, 6; Chester, 5; Morristown 1st, 39 11. <i>Newark</i> —Newark Calvary, 5 68; Newark Park, 3 52. <i>New Brunswick</i> —Dutch Neck, 10; Kingston, 7 12. <i>Newton</i> —Greenwich, 2; Oxford 2d, 5; Stanhope, 1; Yellow Frame, 1 16. <i>West Jersey</i> —Cold Spring ch. sab-sch., 6. 143 39	
NEW YORK.— <i>Hudson</i> —Chester, 15; Middletown 2d, 2 72; Ramapo, 9; Scotchtown, 70 cts.; Washingtonville 1st, 15; Washingtonville 2d, 6. <i>New York</i> —New York Mount Washington ch. sab-sch., 10; New York Puritans, 18 59. <i>North River</i> —Pleasant Valley, 5 55. 82 56	
PHILADELPHIA.— <i>Chester</i> —Atglen ch. sab-sch., 50; Fagg's Manor, 7; Fairview, 5; Forks of Brandywine, 10. <i>Lackawanna</i> —Brooklyn ch. sab-sch., 7 50, "C. S.," 2 50 = 10; Liberty, 57 cts.; Rev. Chas. Corss, 50 cts. <i>Lehigh</i> —Allen Township ch. Bath sab-sch., 7; Tamaqua, 20. <i>Philadelphia</i> —Philadelphia 2d ch., from "E. C.," 5; Philadelphia 3d ch. sab-sch., 200; Philadelphia 4th, 10; Philadelphia Walnut Street ch., from E. A. Rollins, Esq., 25. <i>Philadelphia Central</i> —Philadelphia Corinthian Avenue, 1; Philadelphia Kensington 1st, 29. <i>Philadelphia North</i> —Frankford, monthly collection, 2 92; Germantown 2d ch. sab-sch., 25; Germantown Market Square, in part, 6 88; Morrisville ch. sab-sch., 5; Providence, 7 50. 427 34	
PITTSBURGH.— <i>Blairsville</i> —Congruity ch. sab-sch., 7 43; Ebensburg, 4 58; Pine Run, 9. <i>Pittsburgh</i> —Chartiers, 3; East Liberty, 8; Pittsburgh Shady Side, 5 87. <i>Redstone</i> —Dunlap's Creek, 25 25; Fairchance, 3 50; McClellandtown, 5 50; Rehoboth, 10 45; Tent, 6 75. <i>Washington</i> —Washington 1st, 10 77. <i>West Virginia</i> —Sistersville ch. sab-sch., 9 25. 109 35	
TOLEDO.— <i>Bellefontaine</i> —Bellefontaine, 1 40; Bucyrus, 24 cts.; West Liberty, 43. <i>Huron</i> —Fremont, 5. <i>Lima</i> —Delphos, 1 60. 8 67	
WESTERN NEW YORK.— <i>Buffalo</i> —Akron, 1 50; Buffalo Lafayette Street, 16 43; Buffalo North ch. sab-sch., 10; Buffalo Westminster, 11 32; Fredonia ch. sab-sch., 26; Lancaster, 20. <i>Genesee</i> —Attica, 13 98; Parma Centre ch. sab-sch., 4. <i>Niagara</i> —Carlton ch. sab-sch., 5; Holly ch. sab-sch., 6 26; Medina ch. sab-sch., 10. <i>Rochester</i> —Avon, 2; Brighton, 1; Lima, 62 cts.; Pittsford ch. sab-sch., 10 70; Rochester Central, 10 15; Rochester St. Peter's, 12. 160 96	
WISCONSIN.— <i>Milwaukee</i> —Milwaukee Perseverance, 2 23; Ottawa, 31 cts.; Rev. J. Martin, 1. <i>Winnebago</i> —Neenah, 20; Stevens Point ch. sab-sch., 2. <i>Wisconsin River</i> —Middleton, 61 cts. 26 15	
Total from Churches.....\$2223 71	
LEGACIES.	
Legacy, in part, of Charles Wright, dec'd, late of East Canton, Pa, 22 47; Bull Legacy, S. C. (in part), 37 63, 60 10	
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Chauncey Dewey, Esq., Cadiz, Ohio, 50; through "D. M.," Binghamton, N. Y., 5; Hays City, Kansas, 24 cts.; R. J. W., Pa., 1 94; Mrs. Austin Rogers, Cape Vincent, N. Y., 1; "C.," Conn., 1; Rev. W. E. Honeyman, 5; Mrs. S. E. Martin, Delafield, Wis., 2; Proceeds of sale of furniture belonging to a Young Men's Christian Association, 10; John H. Carson, Weston, Mo., 50 cts.; A Friend, Jefferson City, Mo., 1; Thos. Williams, Esq., Vernon, N. Y., 20; C. P. Evans, Irondale, O., 3; "McComb, Ohio," 12; "Friends, N. H.," 50; John C. Green Fund, interest, 500,..... 662 68	
Total receipts in January, 1880.....\$2946 49	
S. D. POWEL, Treasurer.	



## BOARD OF CHURCH ERECTION.

## WHY OUR CHILDREN SHOULD HELP US IN CHURCH ERECTION.

We have not less than five hundred Presbyterian churches that have no sanctuaries; very few of these have any Sabbath-school, for want of a suitable house in which to meet. Their children are to a large extent neglected. They readily imbibe erroneous views that lead to loose and immoral practices. The Sabbath is made a day of amusement, and thus they grow up in ignorance of the Bible, and become an easy prey to the seductive influences of Satan. The direct effect of church erection is to check and counteract this sad evil. A church building erected in one of these destitute communities is quite an event, and proves attractive. Children and youth are drawn together—they are kept out of mischief—they become interested first in the music, then in the study of the Bible, and through the knowledge of the truth many of them are brought to Christ. Wherever we build a Presbyterian church we are sure to have a Presbyterian Sabbath-school. Thus not only the children of the church, but of those outside of the church, are cared for, and soon form the most interesting and promising part of the missionaries' field of labor, from which to build up the church. We have been greatly encouraged lately in our work, by the receipt of contributions from some of our Sabbath-schools. These dear children do not know but that they are building churches for *themselves*. After a few years, like thousands of others, they may remove to the West and find a church home in the very house they helped to build when they were children. This may prove one of the very best investments they could have made of their pennies.

A little girl, seven years old, whose parents were poor, was attracted to a mission-school in Philadelphia. She became pious and was admitted to the church on profession of her faith in Jesus. Not long after this she was taken ill, and sent for her pastor, Dr. Mutchmore, and gave him with her dying hand a little box in which she had \$4.21, her earthly all, which she had been some time in gathering, and as she gave it to her pastor she said, "*I want you to take this money and build a church with it for the poor people like us. Now, promise me,*" she added, "*so that I shall know when I am in heaven that it is done!*" That little girl died and has gone to heaven, and her little box of money (which to her seemed a great deal) has grown by the contributions of others to several thousands. A lot has been purchased on Montgomery Avenue, Philadelphia, on which one of the largest church buildings in the city has been erected by Dr. Mutchmore, where there is a flourishing Sabbath-school of over three hundred scholars, and where the gospel is preached to

large congregations every Sabbath, from among whom more than one hundred have been admitted to the church. This building is not finished, and more money is needed to complete the noble work started by this poor, dying girl. Children, would you not like to have a part in this work, started by Fannie Smith when only seven years of age?

## RECEIPTS FOR CHURCH ERECTION IN JANUARY, 1880.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Albany 6th, 2; Albany, State Street, 48 01; Ballston Centre, 5 55; Saratoga Springs 1st sab-sch., 8 79; Saratoga Springs 2d, 3 78. *Champlain*—Chazy, 8; Troy—Sandy Hill, 3 20; Whitehall 1st, 4.

BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Fallston, 2. *Washington City*—Washington, Metropolitan, Ladies' Soc'y, sp., 10; Washington, North, 5 51; Washington, Westminster, sp., 10.

CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Binghamton 1st, 53 88. *St. Lawrence*—Brownsville, 2 26; Ox Bow, 5 63. *Syracuse*—Manlius, 2 12; Syracuse 1st Ward, 1 46.

CINCINNATI.—*Cincinnati*—Cincinnati 7th, 29 50; Delhi, 10; Somerset, 2 02.

CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Ashtabula, 10 13; Cleveland, Euclid St., 37 17; Cleveland North, 1 17; Cleveland South, 10. *Mahoning*—East Palestine, 2; Poland, 8. *St. Clairsville*—Mount Pleasant sab-sch., sp., 26 36; St. Clairsville, 30.

COLORADO.—*Santa Fé*—Laguna, 5.  
COLUMBUS.—*Athens*—Pomeroy, 3 10. *Marion*—Ches-terville, 4 31.

ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Glenfield, 3 44; Concord, 11 49; North Butler, 2 91. *Erie*—Erie Central, 75. *Kittanning*—Kittanning 1st, 38 50; Ravne, 5.

GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Anrora, 31 76; Genoa 1st, 10 50; Port Byron, 5. *Cheung*—Elmira 1st, add'l, 5 55. *Lyons*—Newark sab-sch., 30 65. *Steuben*—Corning, add'l, 3 24.

HARRISBURG.—*Carlisle*—Shermansdale, 1; Green Hill, 1 68; Harrisburg Pine St., 94 07; Landisburg, 2; McConnellsburg, 1 81; Mercersburg, 15; Upper Path Valley, 7; Wells Valley, 78. *Huntingdon*—Beulah, 4; Clearfield, 4; Houtzdale, 4; McVeytown, 16 17. *Northumberland*—Buffalo, 6 71; Lewisburgh, 44 25; Williamsport 1st, 10; Williamsport 2d, 4 70. *Wellsboro'*—Wellsboro' 1st, 6 56.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.—*Bloomington*—Alvin 1st, 3; Pontiac, 5 30; Lewistown, quarterly col., 14 21; Salem, 5; Washington, 4.

ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—Riverside, 15. *Freeport*—Galena German, 5; Rock Run, 3 25. *Rock River*—Fulton 2.

ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Alton*—Virden, 4 97. *Cairo*—Du Quoin, 3; Enfield, sp., 5 95; Sharon, sp., 1 24; Tamaroa, 10. *Matton*—West Okaw, 2 55.

INDIANA NORTH.—*Crawfordsville*—Sugar Creek, 2 25. *Fort Wayne*—Auburn, 2 50. *Muncie*—Wabash, 2 31.

INDIANA SOUTH.—*New Albany*—Anderson, 6. *Iowa North*—*Fort Dodge*—Glidden, 3 04; Sac City, 4. *Waterloo*—Ackley, 5; Northwood, 5 98.

IOWA SOUTH.—*Des Moines*—Burlington 1st, 7 07; Keokuk Westminster, 4 26; Summit, 2. *Iowa City*—Crawfordsville, 7; Washington, 5 55.

KANSAS.—*Emporia*—Wellington, 10. *Neosho*—Chetopa 1st, 1 25; Iola, 4. *Solomon*—Ellsworth 1st, 5; Salina, 18 28. *Topeka*—Pleasant Ridge, 4; Kingsville, 2; Riley Centre, 1; Wakarusa, 4.

KENTUCKY.—*Ebenezer*—Maysville 1st, 1 75.

MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Detroit Westminster, 23 24. *Grand Rapids*—East Bay 1st, 4. *Kalamazoo*—Kendall, 3; Paw Paw, 6; White Pigeon, 5. *Lausing*—Concord, 6 75; Lansing 1st, 16; McGregor, 2. *Monroe*—California, 2; Coldwater 1st, 8; Reading, 2 32.

MINNESOTA.—*Mankato*—St. Peter, 9 20; Wells, 5.

MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Jefferson City, 46 cts.; Sunny Side, 2 50. *Platte*—Easton, 2 80.

NEBRASKA.—*Omaha*—Belle Centre, 4 41.

NEW JERSEY.—*Corisco*—Elizabeth Westminster, 25; Pluckamin, 5; Summit Central, 1 91. *Jersey City*—Jersey City 1st, 15; Jersey City, Bergen 1st, 50 76; Tenafly, 2 36; Matawan, 10 34. *Morris and Orange*—Chester, 5; Flanders, 5. *Newark*—Newark 3d, 11 82; Newark Calvary, 11 26; Newark Park, add'l, 7 01. *New Brunswick*—Alexandria 1st, 2; Kings-ton, 5 11. *Newton*—Greenwich, 3 60; Musconetcong Valley, 8; Oxford 2d, 5; Yellow Frame, 2 29. *West Jersey*—Fairfield, 4 70.

NEW YORK.—*Hudson*—Middletown 2d, 5 47; Ramapo, 16; Scotchtown, 1 39. *New York*—New York Covenant, 232 63; New York University Place, 188; New York Church of the Puritans, 36 87.

PACIFIC.—*Sacramento*—Ione City, 4 50. *San Francisco*—Danville, 10.

PHILADELPHIA.—*Chester*—Bryn Mawr, sp., 17 48; Fagg's Manor, 11 95; Honey Brook, 15. *Lackawanna*—Carbondale, sp., 12 81; Liberty, 1 13; Wilkesbarre 1st, 86 27. *Philadelphia*—Philadelphia Chambers, 12 44; Philadelphia 4th, 10. *Philadelphia Central*—Philadelphia Alexander, 70; Philadelphia Corinthian Avenue, German, 1. *Philadelphia North*—Frankford, 2 08; Providence, 7 50. *Westminster*—York, sp., 134 07.

PITTSBURGH.—*Blairsville*—East Liberty, 16; Pitts-burgh Shady Side, 11 75; West Elizabeth, 7 80. *Redstone*—Tyrone, 8. *Washington*—Cross Creek, 70; Washington 1st, 19 75; West Alexander (of which 23 sp.), 46. *West Virginia*—Ravenswood, 4.

TEXAS.—*Trinity*—Grandbury, 7.

TOLEDO.—*Bellefontaine*—Bellefontaine 1st, 2 78; Bucyrus, 49 cts.; West Liberty, 85 cts. *Huron*—Fremont, 5. *Lima*—Delphos, 3 16. *Maumee*—Antwerp 1st, 6.

WESTERN NEW YORK.—*Buffalo*—Buffalo La Fayette St., 14 96; Buffalo, Westminster, 22 43; Lancaster, 40. *Niagara*—Lewiston, sp., 10. *Rochester*—Brighton, 5; Lima, 1 23; Rochester Central, 35 55; Rochester St., Peter, 12.

WISCONSIN.—*Chippewa*—Neshonoc ch. and sab-sch., 6 20. *Milwaukee*—Beloit 1st, 22 34; Ottawa, 62 cts. *Wisconsin River*—Middleton, 1 20; Richland Centre, 50 cts.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

R. L. & A. Stewart, N. Y., sp., 2500; "H. S. B. and family," 10; Rev. W. O. Honeyman, 5; Rev. J. D. McCord, Wassaic, N. Y., 50 cts.; Friends, per Dr. Logan, sp., for Scranton, Washburn St. Church, Pa., 1000; Rev. W. Bradley, Clifton Station, Va., 5; Chauncey Deweys, Esq., Cadiz, Ohio, 50; "C," Conn., 2; Morrisonville Church, Ill., loan returned, 500; Balance from sale of Sauk Centre Ch., Minn., less expense, 1030 40; Anderson Ch., Ind., interest on loan, 30; On account of sale of land in Missouri, 409 50; Returned, 1467 27; Premiums for reinsurance of churches, 97 54; Interest from permanent fund, 150.

Total receipts for January..... \$9888 68

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## BOARD OF RELIEF.

"Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over shall men give unto your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal shall it be measured to you again."

## A STATEMENT.—READ, CONSIDER, AND ACT.

The Presbyterian Board of Relief is in great need of funds to meet the growing demands of the Cause. This embarrassment is not in the shape of *debt*, for the Board never borrows and is never in debt.

The receipts for the first seven months of this financial year to November 1, were nearly \$3000 more than last year for the same period, in part due to collections from churches not heard from in 1878-9; and there has been a small increase each month since that date to the present time. All this is encouraging.

But on the 1st of April, 1879, on account of the return of some old cases, the addition of fifty-one new families, and the stringency of the times, there was a deficiency of nearly \$15,000. This must be paid before the regular cases for the year could be entered on. Hence the *necessity* of some plan for equitable distribution. Reluctantly the Board resolved to hold in abeyance all *new* cases, and to reduce those on the roll 25 per cent. This plan has already brought relief to about 100 families that would otherwise have had nothing for some time.

As a good beginning has been made, it is hoped that when April, 1880, is reached, the applications will have been met, and that there will be no deficiency.

The problem now is how to make the income of the remaining months of the financial year pay the appropriations for six months. It can be easily done if churches that have done nothing give according to their ability, and the contributing churches supplement their collections. May not this be laid on the conscience of the church? "*Remember them which are in adversity as being yourselves also in the body.*" These heroes in the Lord's service deserve liberal offerings. Their benedictions and their prayers will bring to you blessings richer than your gifts, and as faithful stewards you shall enjoy the loving favor of God.

By order of the Board.

GEORGE HALE, *Secretary.*

## RECEIPTS FOR BOARD OF RELIEF IN JANUARY, 1880.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Albany 3d, 22; Albany State Street, 35 03; Ballston Centre, 4 13; Johnstown, 50 Saratoga Springs 1st, 6 41; Saratoga Springs 2d, 2 75. *Champlain*—Port Henry, 55 51. *Columbia*—Hudson, 30. *Troy*—Troy Second Street, 21 71. 227 54  
BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Bethel, 5; Bel Air, 12; Fallston, 3. *New Castle*—Dover, 30; Lower W. Nottingham, 17 89; New Castle, from "M. C. S. and H. S.," 10. *Washington City*—Washington Metropolitan, from the Ladies' Society, 10; Washington North, 5; Washington Westminster, 10. 102 89  
CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Binghamton 1st, 21 55; Rev. and Mrs. P. Lockwood, 100; Mary E. Lockwood, 100; Theodosia D. Lockwood, 50. *St. Law-*

*rence*—Brownville, 3 45; Ox Bow, 10 52; Sackett's Harbor, 9 91. *Syracuse*—Manlius, 1 54; Syracuse First Ward, 1 06. *Utica*—Mt. Vernon, 10; Vernon Centre, 4 43; West Utica, 25. 337 46  
CINCINNATI.—*Cincinnati*—Cincinnati 2d, add'l, 20 Cincinnati, 1st German, 8; Delhi, 8; Montgomery, 8; Somerset, 2 22; Wyoming, 40. *Dayton*—Piqua, 25. 111 22  
CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Ashtabula, 5; Cleveland 2d, 100; Cleveland Euclid Street, 28 45; Cleveland North, 85 cts. *Mahoning*—Hubbard, 5; from "R.," 2. *St. Clairsville*—St. Clairsville, 30. *Steubenville*—Bethesda, 10; Richmond, 9. 190 30  
COLORADO.—*Santa Fé*—Laguna, 5 00

COLUMBIA.—*South Oregon*—Eugene City, 6 00  
 COLUMBUS.—*Athens*—From "J. S.," 10. *Marion*—  
 West Berlin, 9 75; Chesterville, 6 25; Ostranda, 7;  
 Providence, 2 50. *Wooster*—Clear Fork, 2; Holmes-  
 ville, 5. *Zanesville*—Coshocton, 32 56; Homer, 3 31;  
 Madison, interest on M. Scott's legacy, 89. 167 37  
 ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Gleanfield, 3 42; "A friend," 3.  
*Butler*—Concord, 10 19; North Butler, 3 36. *Errie*—  
 Corry, 5; Erie Central, 25; Venango, 4. *Kittanning*—  
 Bethel, 10. *Shenango*—Mt. Pleasant, 12; New  
 Castle 2d, 14 75; Newport, 8 25. 98 97  
 GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Auburn 1st, 64; Anrora, 21 17.  
*Chemung*—Elmira 1st, 4 05; Hector, from Rev. I. G.  
 Shaeffer, 5; Watkins, from a lady, 5. *Geneva*—From  
 "Mrs. A. P.," 112 50. *Lyons*—Fairville, 5; Lyons,  
 14 43. *Steuben*—Corning, 2 36; Howard, 10 50. 244 01  
 HARRISBURG.—*Carlisle*—Green Hill, 1 22; Harris-  
 burg Seventh Street, 10; Landisburg, 2; McConnells-  
 burg, 1 32; Mercersburg, 25; Millerstown, 10; Sher-  
 mansdale, 1; St. Thomas, 1 68; Rocky Spring, 3;  
 Upper Path Valley, 7; Wells Valley, 57 cts.; Strass-  
 burg, 2. *Huntingdon*—Benlah, 4; Hollidaysburg,  
 including 4 02 from sab-sch., 21 29; Houtzdale, 4;  
 Middle Tuscarora, 3 45. *Northumberland*—Blooms-  
 burg 1st, add'l, 7; Muncy, 13; Williamsport 2d, 7 15.  
*Wellsboro*—Wellsboro, 4 79. 129 47  
 ILLINOIS CENTRAL.—*Bloomington*—Bloomington 2d,  
 35; Paxton 1st, 3 17. *Peoria*—Brunswick, 2; Lewis-  
 town, 14 71; Salem, 3. 57 88  
 ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—Homewood, 5; Hyde  
 Park, 15 56; Will, 2; Wilmington, 7 54; Rev. Jotham  
 Sewell, 1. *Freeport*—Cedarville, 4; Rockford West-  
 minister, 13 58. *Rock River*—Dixon 1st, 13; Fulton,  
 2 50. 64 18  
 ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Alton*—Carlinville, 4; Rev. Ang.  
 T. Norton and wife, 12 45; Virden, 3 61. *Cairo*—Du  
 Quoin, 5; Tamaroa, 3. *Mattoon*—Brownstown, 2 50;  
 Taylorville, 5. 35 56  
 INDIANA NORTH.—*Crawfordsville*—Frankfort, 9.  
*Muncie*—Walush, 1 69. 10 69  
 INDIANA SOUTH.—*Indianapolis*—Indianapolis 2d,  
 37 60. *New Albany*—Livonia, 5 50. *White Water*—  
 Mt. Carmel, 5. 48 10  
 IOWA NORTH.—*Waterloo*—East Friesland, 5; La  
 Porte City, 8. 13 00  
 IOWA SOUTH.—*Iowa*—Burlington 1st, 6 14; Fair-  
 field, 9 50; Keokuk Westminister, 3 12; Kirkvile,  
 6 09; Summit, 2; per Rev. Wm. C. Rankin, 2. *Iowa*  
*City*—Crawfordsville, 5; Washington, 4 05. 37 90  
 KANSAS.—*Neosho*—Fort Gibson, 5; Iola, 3. *Topeka*  
 —Auburn, 2 80; Clinton, 4; Riley Centre, 1. 15 80  
 KENTUCKY.—*Ebenezer*—Maysville 1st, 2 75; Rev. W.  
 C. C., 50. *Louisville*—Louisville Broadway Taber-  
 nacle, 25; Princeton 1st, 3 40. 81 15  
 LONG ISLAND.—*Brooklyn*—Brooklyn 2d, 83 75.  
*Long Island*—Port Jefferson, 3 50; Southhold, 10. 97 25  
 MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Detroit 1st, 75; Detroit West-  
 minister, 16 97; Milford United, 5. *Grand Rapids*—  
 Grand Rapids Westminister, 25; Ionia 1st, 21 42.  
*Kalamazoo*—Kendall, 3; White Pigeon, 5. *Lansing*  
 —Concord, 4 92; Windsor, 3 40. *Monroe*—California,  
 2; Coldwater, 5. 166 71  
 MINNESOTA.—*Winona*—Chester, 3; Claremont, 4;  
 Hokab, 1; La Crescent, 2. 10 00  
 MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Jefferson City, 34 cts.; Mont-  
 rose, 3 50. *Ozark*—Ozark Prairie, 3. *Platte*—Willow  
 Brook, 1 30. 8 14  
 NEBRASKA.—*Omaha*—Madison 1; Schnyler, 4 35. 5 35  
 NEW JERSEY.—*Elizabeth*—Elizabeth Westminister,  
 30; Pluckamin, 5; Summit Central, 60 42; Rev.  
 Albert B. King, 10. *Jersey City*—Jersey City 1st,  
 25 50; Lakeview, 2; Norwood, 10; Tenally, 1 75.  
*Monmouth*—Beverly, 17 94; Mt. Holly, Ladies, 3.  
*Morris and Orange*—Boonton, 12; Chester, 5; Fair-  
 mount, 5; Mt. Olive, 20; South Orange, 61 59. *New-*  
*ark*—Newark Calvary, 8 24; Newark Park, 5 11.  
*New Brunswick*—Alexandria 1st, 2; Frenchtown, 10;  
 Kingston, 7 14; Trenton 4th, 38; Trenton Prospect  
 St., 28 09. *Newton*—Belvidere 1st, 5 42; Greenwich,  
 2 80; Hacketts town, 20; Musconetcong Valley, 8; Ox-

ford 2d, 5; Yellow Frame, 1 67. *West Jersey*—Deer-  
 field, sp., 15; Fairfield, 4 70; Woodbury, 38. 468 37  
 NEW YORK.—*Hudson*—Middletown 2d, 3 94; Ra-  
 mapo, 14; Scotchtown, 1 01. *New York*—New York,  
 Canal Street, 5; New York, University Place, 478 09;  
 New York 4th, 21 55; New York, Church of the Pri-  
 ans, 31 90. *Westchester*—Gilead, 16; Peekskill 1st,  
 45 19; Stamford 1st, 162 17. 778 85  
 PACIFIC.—*San Francisco*—Danville, 5 00  
 PHILADELPHIA.—*Chester*—Fagg's Manor, 21 06;  
 Marple, Miss Alice Hotchkiss, 1; Phoenixville, 6 58;  
 Wayne, 20. *Lackawanna*—Brooklyn, 7; Laporte,  
 1 50; Liberty, 82 cts.; Montrose, 40. *Lehigh*—Shen-  
 andoah, 2 50. *Philadelphia*—Philadelphia 10th, 524;  
 Philadelphia, Chambers, 21 06; Philadelphia South,  
 24 49; Philadelphia, W. Spruce Street, 245 55; Rev.  
 Alexander Heberton, 5. *Philadelphia Central*—Phila-  
 delphia Central, sp., 10; Philadelphia, Green Hill,  
 including 5 from Mrs. J. Noblit, 72 76; Philadelphia,  
 North Broad Street, from a member, 5; Mrs. L. F.  
 Robbins, 25. *Philadelphia North*—Frankford, in-  
 cluding 2 from Ladies' Society, 4 92; Germantown,  
 Market Square (in part), 8 27; Neshaminy, Warwick,  
 36 12; Providence, 7 50. 1090 13  
 PITTSBURGH.—*Blairsville*—Parnassus, add'l, 5.  
*Pittsburgh*—Birmingham, 4 50; East Liberty, 15;  
 Pittsburgh Central, add'l, 5; Pittsburgh Shady Side,  
 11 75; Hopewell, 1 38. *Redstone*—Fairclance, 5;  
 McClellandtown, 2; Tent, 4 25. *Washington*—Allen  
 Grove, 2 48; Limestone, 1 20; Washington 1st, 16 16;  
 Wolf Run, 1 40. *West Virginia*—Ravenswood, 3.  
 78 12

TOLEDO.—*Bellefontaine*—Bellefontaine, 2 03; Bucy-  
 rus, 5 36; West Liberty, 63 cts. *Huron*—Fremont, 5;  
 Tiffin, 1 87. *Lima*—Delphos, 2 31. 17 20

WESTERN NEW YORK.—*Buffalo*—Buffalo, Lafayette  
 Street, 26 96; Buffalo Westminister, 21 46; Lancaster,  
 40. *Genesee*—Attica, 27 96. *Niagara*—Lyndonville,  
 8 81. *Rochester*—Brighton, 9; Lima, 89 cts.; Roch-  
 ester Central, 50 78; Rochester, St. Peter's, 12 50;  
 Fowlerville, 7. 205 36

WISCONSIN.—*Chippewa*—La Crosse 1st, including  
 1 80 from sab-sch., 4 16. *Milwaukee*—Janesville 1st,  
 including 3 26 from sab-sch., 28 74; Ottawa, 45 cts.;  
 Perseverance, 2 03. *Wisconsin River*—Middleton,  
 88 cts. 36 26

From the Churches.....\$4951 46

## MISCELLANEOUS.

N. Y., Brooklyn, "Memorial Gift, Mrs. D.  
 M. M.," 7; Anonymous, 20; per Mr. D. Rob-  
 inson, interest on McKeesport bonds, 12;  
 N. Y., Clinton, "from a friend," 10; N. Y.,  
 Vernon, from Thomas Williams, 20; Cal., San  
 Lorenzo, from Rev. A. Baker, 8; Pa., Phila-  
 delphia, from Mrs. J. H. K., 5; per the New  
 York Observer, anonymous, 20; N. Y., Water-  
 town, from a friend, 5; Mass., Brainerd, Mr.  
 C. J. Veon, 1 25; per Rev. J. Best, from "T.  
 J.," 8; N. Y., Syracuse, from J. M. Pitkin,  
 20; Wis., Delevan, from E. Eddy, 3; Interest  
 on Permanent Fund, 225; Interest on De-  
 posits, 41 92; Philadelphia, anonymous, 10;  
 N. Y., Binghamton, from Mrs. Catherine B.  
 McKinley, 10; Interest on Permanent Fund,  
 per E. G. Woodward, 500; Ill., Tallula, from  
 "Mrs. J. B. W.," 1; Ohio, Cadiz, Chauncey  
 Deweys, 50; Beyrout, New Year's offering  
 from a foreign missionary lady, 5; New York  
 City, from "E. D. G. P.," 25; Pa., Lewistown,  
 from Mrs. Parker, 3; Ohio, Glendale, Mrs.  
 Maria Patterson, 25; N. Y., Vernon, from Mrs.  
 M. B. Crocker, 10; Proceeds of McKeesport  
 bonds, 200; From a friend, 2; N. Y., West  
 Hoboken, Miss M. D. Crane, 5; N. Y., Brook-  
 lyn, from R. Hamilton, Esq., 10; N. Y., from  
 a minister's daughter, 1; Mich., Coresst, Mrs.  
 S. C. Sheldon, 1; N. Y., Wassaic, Rev. W. J.  
 McCord, 50 cts.; From "C. Conn.," 3; Rev.  
 W. E. Honeyman, 10. 1277 67

Total for January.....\$6229 13

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## COMMITTEE ON FREEDMEN.

## RECEIPTS FOR FREEDMEN IN DECEMBER, 1879.

ALBANY.—*Albany*—Charlton, 3 86; Ballston Centre, 3 64; Saratoga Springs 2d, 1 91; Albany State St., 24 22; Saratoga Springs 1st sub-sch., 4 44. *Champlain*—Constable, 2. *Columbia*—Hudson, 20. *Troy*—Stillwater 1st, 7 13; Mt. Ida Memorial, 14 67; Chestertown, 3; Troy 2d St., 10.

ATLANTIC.—*East Florida*—St. Augustine, 7 05. *Fairfield*—Blackstock, 3. *Knox*—Pleasant Grove, 1 38; Oglethorpe Chapel, Ladies' Missionary Society, 2. *Yadkin*—Panther's Ford, 1; Wilson, 68 cts.; Miss Edith Rutherford, 32 cts.; Bethany, 1 50.

BALTIMORE.—*Baltimore*—Deer Creek Harmony, 10 50; Govane Chapel, 11 45; Taneytown, 10; Piney Creek, 12. *New Castle*—Lower Brandywine, 4 13; Green Hill and Rockland, 5; Port Penn, 8. *Washington City*—Vienna, 1 50; Lorrinsville, 1; Washington City Western, 42 29.

CENTRAL NEW YORK.—*Binghamton*—Afton, 1 55; Waverly, 24; Binghamton 1st, 21 55. *Otsego*—Guilford Centre sub-sch., 4 55. *St. Lawrence*—Governor, 22 04; Hammond, 7; Watertown Stone St., 20. *Syracuse*—Liverpool, 2 05; Cazenovia, 25 31; Park Centre, 38 50; Pompey Congl., 6 50; Manlius, 1 07; Syracuse 1st Ward, 73 cts. *Utica*—Rome 1st, 10 50; Holland Patent, 4 06; Clayville, 3; Augusta Centre 1st, 4 07.

CINCINNATI.—*Chillicothe*—Hamden sub-sch., 3; South Salem, 8 19. *Cincinnati*—Cincinnati 5th, 14 60; Lebanon 1st, 10 88; Bethel, 4; Sharonville, 5 11; Mason sub-sch., 2 60; Cincinnati 7th, 45 67; Cumminsville, 16; Cincinnati Central, 93 85; Springdale, 15 38; Montgomery, 10; Somerset, 3 05; Wyoming, 57 60; Delhi, 6. *Dayton*—Springfield 2d, 40; South Charleston, 10 01; Middletown sub-sch., 4; Oxford, 10 48; Clifton, 32 76; New Jersey, 5 07; Blue Ball, 3 50; New Carlisle, 2; Troy, 26 23. *Portsmouth*—Eckmanville, 2; Mt. Leigh, 4 20; Decatur, 2; Portsmouth 1st, 49 20; Ironton, 28 16; Ironton sub-sch., 12 93; Red Oak, 6 42.

CLEVELAND.—*Cleveland*—Akron 1st, 4 55; Cleveland, Woodland Avenue, 72 55; Chester, 8 27; Euclid Avenue, 2; Brecksville 1st sub-sch., 2 84; Northfield, 4 50; South Cleveland, 10; Euclid Street, 26 57; Cleveland North, 59 cts. *Mahoning*—North Jackson, 4 82; Deerfield, 15 13; Youngstown 1st, 36 63; Ellsworth, 18; New Lisbon, 14; Kinsman, 13; Hubbard, 6; Alliance 1st, 10; Liberty, 4. *St. Clairsville*—Rock Hill, 3 20; Barnesville, 2 37; Olive, 3; Mt. Pleasant, 7 62; Powhatan, 1 25. *Steubenville*—Carrollton, 6 95; Yellow Creek sub-sch., 6 25; Beech Spring, 7 85; Hopedale, 3.

COLORADO.—*Colorado*—Trinidad, 8 65. *Santa Fé*—Laguna, 5.

COLUMBIA.—*Oregon*—Pleasant Grove, by S. Condit and family, 5. *South Oregon*—Eugene City, 6.

COLUMBUS.—*Athens*—Athens 10. *Columbus*—Sciota, 2; Darby, 2; Reynoldsburg, 2 60; Grove City, 1 40; Mt. Sterling, 4 28; Midway, 1 30. *Marion*—Ashley, 3 10; Brown, 3; Mt. Gilead, 14 59; Mt. Gilead sub-sch., 1 14; Ostrander, 10 35; Providence, 1 90; Berlin, 3 25; Liberty, 5; Liberty sub-sch., 1 30. *Wooster*—Plymouth sub-sch., 5; Ashland, 18 39; Savannah, 16 60; Lexington, 3; Wooster, 29; Wooster sub-sch., 7 41. *Zanesville*—Chandler'sville, 8; Dresden, 20 15; Jefferson, 5; Pataskala, 2; Utica, 17 22; Madison, 18 55; Zanesville 1st, 6 13; Salem, Ger., 1 75.

ERIE.—*Allegheny*—Freedom, 3 60; Glasgow, 3 90; Glasgow sub-sch., 1 10; Central, 17 37; Sewickly, 70; Tarentum, 9; Allegheny 1st, 109 63; Valley, 11 66; Valley sub-sch., 5 06; "A Friend," 2; Glenfield, 3 21; Bethel, 1; North, 59 40. *Butler*—Amity, 7; Zeleniople, 5 34; Mt. Zebo, 3 11; Leesburg, 5 45; Sunbury, 16; Unionville, 3 36; Muddy Creek, 3 50; Portersville, 6; Sunbury sub-sch., 10. *Clarion*—Oak Grove, 1; Leatherwood, 5; New Bethlehem, 5; Greenville, 4 20. *Erice*—Oil City 1st, 50 35; Fairfield, 5; Mercer 1st, add'l, 2 60; Corry, 3; Harbor Creek, 7; Titusville 1st, 45 19. *Kittanning*—Slate Lick, 10 80; Rayne, 8; East Union, 1; Kittanning 1st, 55 71; Worthington 17; Cherry Tree, 5; Cherry Tree sub-

sch., 2. *Shenango*—Clarksville sub-sch., 16 03; New Brighton 1st, 17; Little Beaver, 5 75; Petersburg, 1 25; Clarksville, 43 82; Mt. Pleasant, 10; Hermon, 7; Beaver Falls, 20; Westfield, 90; Westfield sub-sch., 13.

GENEVA.—*Cayuga*—Auburn 2d, 16 68; Aurora, 14 11. *Chemung*—Watkins, 16; Mecklenburg, 4; Elmira 1st, 2 80. *Geneva*—Geneva 1st, 27 11; Phelps, 6 75; West Fayette, 3 54; North Bergen, 6. *Lyons*—Newark, 18 78; Lyons, 13 31. *Steuben*—Painted Post, 8; Corning, 1 63.

HARRISBURG.—*Carlisle*—Falling Spring, 25; Green Castle, 27; Duncannon, 1 75; Duncannon sub-sch., 2 25; Dickinson, 4; Gettysburg, 9; Upper Path Valley, 6; Gettysburg sub-sch., 5 77; McConnellsburg, 82 cts.; Green Hill, 85 cts.; Wells Valley, 40 cts. *Huntingdon*—Martinsburg, 11 65; Alexandria, 22; Cedar Spring, 2; Altoona 1st, 42 22; Milesburg, 5 45; Snow Shoe, 3 15; Moshannon, 1 23; Buffalo Run, 1 25; Millintown, 25 75. *Northumberland*—Bald Eagle and Nittany, 11 37; New Berlin 1st, 1 53; Shiloh, 5; Danville Grove, 20; Danville Grove sub-sch., 5; Lycoming, 16; Lycoming sub-sch., 10; Lewisburg, 33 80; Williamsport 1st, 10; Williamsport 2d, 13 75. *Wellsboro'*—Wellsboro', 3 33.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.—*Bloomington*—Clinton, 21 29; Minonk 1st, 72 cts.; Tolono, 375; Prairie View, 67 cts.; Paxton 1st, 2 19. *Peoria*—John Knox, 5; Knoxville, 7 93; Green Valley, 3; Lewistown, 14 21. *Schuyler*—Carthage 1st, 10; Bardolph, 1; Wythe, 1; Ebenezer, 11; Dodsdsville, 3 25; Mt. Sterling 1st, 19.

ILLINOIS NORTH.—*Chicago*—E. J. Hill, 4 45; Manteno, 3; Lake Forest, 25 71. *Freeport*—Freeport 2d, 5 83; Woodstock, 6; Woodstock, by Isaac Knapp, 9; Zion, 2 28. *Ottawa*—Mendota, 8 40; Earlville, 3; Granville, 2 50; Rochelle, 7; Union Grove, 4 55; Morris, 7. *Rock River*—Geneseo, 5; Aledo, 6 65; Fulton 1st, 1.

ILLINOIS SOUTH.—*Allon*—Plainview, 2 25; Sparta 1st, 12 25; Wabash, 5 50; Sumner, 6 30; Hernion, 1; Gilead, 1 20; Richland, 8; Virden, 2 51; Hillsboro', 5 05. *Cairo*—Pisgah, 9; Union, 2; Bridgeport, 2; Cairo 1st, 2; Friendsville, 6; Centralia 1st, 5; Du Quoin, 3 95; Tamaroa, 2. *Mattoon*—Grandville, 2; Dudley, 2; Taylorsville, 5; Tower Hill, 6; Prairie Bird, 6.

INDIANA NORTH.—*Crawfordsville*—Rock Creek, 2 50; Bethany, 20 35; Newtown, 3; Rob Roy, 3; Dayton, 5. *Fort Wayne*—Fort Wayne 1st, 52 39; La Grange, 6; Elkhart, 9 15. *Logansport*—Bethlehem, 2 85; West Union, 2 75; Concord, 1 90; Salem, 2; Kentland, 1; Hebron, 3 11. *Muncie*—Wabash, 1 17.

INDIANA SOUTH.—*Indianapolis*—Danville, 7; Shiloh, 1; Hopewell, 1; Indianapolis 1st, 35 25. *New Albany*—New Albany 1st, 16 25. *Vincennes*—Upper Indiana, 4; Vincennes Walnut Street, 12; Clairborne, 3; Washington, 16. *White Water*—Aurora, 2 54; Laurenceburg, 1.

IOWA NORTH.—*Cedar Rapids*—Scotch Grove, 2 35; Cedar Rapids 1st, 80 16; Centre Junction, 3 50; Linu Grove, 13 10. *Dubuque*—Rossville, 1 42; Pine Creek, 7; Bethel, 3. *Fort Dodge*—Wheatland, Ger., 2. *Waterloo*—Nevada, 6; La Porte City, 5 90; Tranquility, 8 48; Albion, 2 50.

IOWA SOUTH.—*Des Moines*—Newton, 7 90; Adel, 7; Waukeo, 4 65; Russell, 5. *Iowa*—Keokuk, Westminster 1st, 2 15; Summit, 3; Oakland, 4; Kirkville, 4 67; Birmingham, 4 24; Shunem, 3 50; Troy, 2; Mt. Pleasant, Ger., 5; Burlington, 2 87; Burlington sub-sch., 10 45. *Iowa City*—Tipton, 7 10; Washington, 2 80.

KANSAS.—*Emporia*—Florence, 2; Burlington, 1 33; Big Creek, 1 64. *Larned*—Lyons, 1 80. *Neosho*—Iola, 5 15; North Topeka, 2; Bethel, 6; Fort Scott, 5 40.

KENTUCKY.—*Ebenezer*—Sharpsburg, 3 60; Flemingsburg, 6 50; Mt. Sterling, 3 23. *Louisville*—Bowl-

ing Green 2d, 3 60; Princetor 1st, 2 10. *Transylvania*—Paint Lick, 2.

LONG ISLAND.—*Long Island*—Middletown, 5 67; Southampton, 20 40; Moriches, 11.

MICHIGAN.—*Detroit*—Plymouth 1st, 17 40; Detroit, Westminster, 12 73. *Kalamazoo*—Sturgis, 10 57; Kendall, 8; White Pigeon, 4. *Laings*—Windsor, 2 23; Concord, 3 42. *Monroe*—Coldwater, 10; California, 2.

MINNESOTA.—*Mankato*—Winnebago City, 5; Le Sueur, 2 12. *Red River*—Fargo 1st, 5 07. *St. Paul*—Franklin Avenue, 22 23; Andrew, 14; Westminster sab-sch., 8 75; St. Paul 1st, 4.

MISSOURI.—*Osage*—Olive Branch, 1; Pleasant Hill, 2 75; Ebenezer, 5; Greenwood, 4 33; Jefferson City, 23 cts. *Platte*—Parkville, 2; Parkville sab-sch., 2.

NEW JERSEY.—*Elizabeth*—Cranford, 10; Elizabeth 1st, Ger., 3 50; Pluckamin, 5; Lamington, 10; Elizabeth 3d, 4 39; Summit Central, 95 cts. *Jersey City*—Claremont, 6 50; Lake View, 2; Jersey City 1st, 15; Tenaflay, 1 19. *Monmouth*—Manchester, 10; Allentown, 20; Farmingdale, 5; Freehold 1st, 15 68; Bordentown, 5. *Morris and Orange*—German Valley, 10; Mt. Olive, 20; Parsippany, 15; Flanders, 5. *Newark*—Roseville, 105 10; Newark 2d, 11 97; Caldwell, 15 21; Newark Park, 3 52; Newark Calvary, 5 68. *New Brunswick*—Dutch Neck, 20; Anwell 1st, 6; Anwell 2d, 3 19; Trenton, Prospect Street, 28 27; Trenton 4th, 20; Kingston, 5 12. *Newton*—Phillipsburg, 10; Belvidere 2d, 5 41; Stanhope, 1; Yellow Frame, 1 16; Greenwich, 1 60; Stillwater, 4; Swartwood, 1. *West Jersey*—Bridgeton West, 32.

NEW YORK.—*Boston*—Newburyport 1st, 29 63; South Boston 4th, 3 05. *Hudson*—Ramapo, 51; Hamtonburgh, 15; Unionville, 2 25; Port Jervis, 20; Florida, 15; Ridgeburg, 1; Scotchtown, 70 cts.; Washingtonville 1st, 15. *New York*—New York, West, 107 45; Church of the Puritans, 18 59; Canal Street, 5. *North River*—Freedom Plains, 5. *Westchester*—Mt. Kisco, 5 80; Rye, 30; Yorktown, 9; Riverdale, 5 34; Peekskill 1st, 26 39.

PHILADELPHIA.—*Chester*—Reeseville, 2 30; West Chester 1st sab-sch., 23 86; Honey Brook, 37 25; *Lackawanna*—Trunkhannock, 6 95; Cauton, 10; Towanda, 79; Liberty, 57 cts. *Lehigh*—Lower Mt. Bethel, 2. *Philadelphia Central*—Kensington, 27 65; Philadelphia, Olivet, 29 88. *Philadelphia North*—Germantown 1st, 115; Norristown Central, 12; Newtown, 30 50. *Westminster*—Strasburg, 7 75; Mt. Nebo, 1 25; Cedar Grove, 3.

PITTSBURGH.—*Blairsville*—New Alexandria, 32 38; Braddocks, 10; Beulah, 35 50; Beulah sab-sch., 11 87; Armagh, 4 17; Centreville, 2; Unity, 23; New Salem, 16; Blairsville, 41 75; Braddocks sab-sch., 5. *Pittsburgh*—Wilkinsburg, 16; Hopewell, 2 49; Mt. Olivet, 5; Forest Grove, 11; Centre, 15 50; Pittsburgh 1st, 200; Miugo, 6 50; Raccoon, 62; Chartiers, 12 80;

Chartiers sab-sch., 5; West Elizabeth, 5 80; West Elizabeth sab-sch., 4; Bellefield sab-sch., 25; Mt. Pisgah, 7; Mt. Washington, 10; Frankfort Springs, 3; Shady Side, 11 75; Shady Side sab-sch., 81 41. *Redstone*—Long Run, 20; Pleasant Unity, 9 50; Pleasant Unity sab-sch., 1 37; Somerset, 2 32; Somerset sab-sch., 2 05; Rennon, 11 64; Brownsville, 3 50; Mt. Pleasant, 17 20; George's Creek, 5; Laurel Hill, 13 70; McKeesport 1st, 15 20. *Washington*—Wellsburg, 10 25; Wellsburg sab-sch., 3 70; Upper Ten Mile, 8; Waynesburg, 6 45; Hollidays Cove, 13; Upper Buffalo sab-sch., 8 63; Hollidays Cove sab-sch., 16; Hookstown sab-sch., 3 45; Mt. Prospect, 12 95; Washington 1st, 12 77. *West Virginia*—French Creek, 6; Kanawha, 9 85.

TENNESSEE.—*Holston*—Amity, 1; Mt. Bethel, 1. *Kingston*—Bethel, 3 71. *Union*—Westminster, 2 20; Spring Place, 1 50; New Market, 2 65.

TOLEDO.—*Bellefontaine*—Bucyrus, 24 cts.; Bellefontaine, 1 40; West Liberty, 43 cts. *Huron*—Freemont, 5. *Lima*—Delphos, 1 60. *Maumee*—Hicksville, 1 44; Lost Creek Union, 1 86.

WESTERN NEW YORK.—*Buffalo*—Ripley sab-sch., 5; Alden 1st, 3; Lafayette Street, 26 96; Westfield 1st sab-sch., 15; Westminster, 11 32. *Genesee*—Bethany Centre, 4; Phelps, 6 75; Le Roy, 14 54; Attica, 16 77; Batavia, 38 88. *Niagara*—Wilson, 18. *Rochester*—Lima, 62 cts.; Moscow, 6; Sparta 2d, 4 30; Victor, 10; Chili, 13; St. Peters, 12; Rochester Central, 50 78; Brighton, 9.

WISCONSIN.—*Chippewa*—Neilsville, 5. *Milwaukee*—Cedar Grove, 2; Oostberg, 2 72; Ottawa, 31 cts.; Pike Grove, 7 25. *Winnebago*—Shawano, 3. *Wisconsin River*—Baraboo, 12 20; Richland Centre sab-sch., 5; Middleton, 61 cts.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

Anson Y. Tuttle, Edinburgh, O., 1; Rev. J. L. Wilson, Hopkinton, Iowa, 1; Miss'y Soc., Lake Erie Seminary, Painsville, O., 15; Miss M. J. Ralston, Mechanicsburg, Pa., 10; A Friend, Youngstown, O., 50; M. W. Cogswell, Elyria, O., 10; Other individuals, Elyria, O., 10; "S. M.," Bloomsburg, Pa., 6 59; Church, Franklin, Ind., 9 48; Church, Monroe, O., 2 74; Rev. J. D. Jewell, Big Flats, N. Y., 11; "I. J.," New York City, 5; "E. W.," Philadelphia, 1; Theological Society, Princeton, N. J., 5 77; "B.," Pittsburgh, Pa., 5; J. C. Henning, Stillwater, Minn., 2; Estate of E. A. Craig, deceased, late of Hiett, O., 25; James Beck, Troy, Iowa, 5; Thomas Williams, Vernon, N. Y., 20; Rev. D. L. Dickey, Hookstown, Pa., 10; Rev. Alvah Lilly, White Water, Wis., 5; J. H. Black, Hopedale, Ohio, 20; Wm. Porter, Coulterstown, Pa., 2 85; "C. Conn.," 3 25; Rev. W. E. Hoyerman, 5.

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## PASTORAL RELATIONS DISSOLVED.

Rev. J. D. Shanks and church at Carrollton, Ohio, December 17th, 1879.

Rev. H. L. Bunstein and church at Beech Creek, Northumberland Presby., January 12th, 1880.

Rev. J. E. Kearns and church of Upper Tuscarora, Huntingdon Presby., October 24th, 1879.

## CALLS ACCEPTED.

Rev. Tryon Edwards, D.D., to church at Gouverneur, N. Y.

Rev. S. McLanahan to Lafayette Square Church, Baltimore, Md.

Rev. P. Read to church at Augusta, Kansas.

Rev. J. W. McIlvain to church at Palisades, N. Y.

## ORDINATIONS AND INSTALLATIONS.

Rev. W. J. McKnight, D.D., was installed pastor of 1st Church, New Brunswick, N. J., Jan. 26th, 1880.

Mr. Willard Scott was ordained and installed pastor at West Farms, N. Y., Jan. 26th, 1880.

Rev. J. D. Matthews, D.D., was installed pastor at Dennison, Texas, January 16th, 1880.

## POST-OFFICE ADDRESSES CHANGED.

Rev. J. D. Shanks from Carrollton, Ohio, to Elizabeth, Pa.

Rev. John Edwards from San Juan to 404 12th Street, Oakland, Cal.

Rev. L. Figge from Granville, Wis., to Beloit, Iowa.

Rev. W. S. Marquis from Bloomington to Minonk, Ill.

Rev. S. R. Bissel from Cleveland to Milan, Ohio.

Rev. P. S. Van Nest, D.D., from Metropolis, Ill., to N. W. cor. Crittenden Street and Lerup Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Rev. P. Read from Sterling to Augusta, Kansas.

Rev. R. F. Maclaren from Red Wing to 174 Wabash Street, St. Paul, Minn.

Rev. J. Baay from Pleasanton to Cawker City, Kansas.

The address of Rev. H. C. Westwood, D.D., is 418 Wasoola Street, Denver, Col.

Rev. A. W. Colver from Burlington, Iowa, to Woodbury, Conn.

Rev. J. M. Cockins from Xenia to Ripley, Ohio.

Rev. Charles H. Ewing from Wernersville to Reading, Pa.

Rev. C. K. Lehman from Ada to West Salem, Ohio.

Rev. W. Thomson from Healdsburg to Berkeley, Cal.

The address of Rev. J. W. McIlvain is Palisades, N. Y.

Rev. W. P. Patterson from Titusville, N. J., to Broomall, Pa.

Rev. C. B. Dye from Patterson to Mayfield, N. Y.

Rev. O. A. Elliott from Strattanville, Pa., to Farmington, Ill.

Rev. G. S. Burroughs from Slatington, Pa., to Fairfield, Conn.

Rev. J. P. Harsen from Wichita, Kansas, to Nanticoke, Pa.

Rev. L. F. Bickford from Kingsville to Rootstown, Ohio.

Rev. E. C. Hull from Hannibal, N. Y., to Ellsworth, Conn.

Rev. S. W. Elliott from Wilmington, Ohio, to Thorntown, Ind.

Rev. J. E. Kearns from Waterloo, Pa., to Morning Sun, Iowa.

## DEATHS.

On board the steamship *Ambriz*, within sight of the African coast, December 2d, 1879, Rev. Albert Bushnell, D.D.

Rev. Gustavus Alexy at New York, January 29th, 1880, in the 47th year of his age.

Rev. Burr Baldwin at Montrose, Pa., January 30th, 1880, aged 91 years.

Rev. John H. Grier at Williamsport, Pa., February 3d, 1880, aged 92 years.

Ministers are respectfully requested to furnish their changes of address directly to *The Monthly Record*. It is sent to all ministers of the Presbyterian Church, and it is important that their correct addresses should always be in the office.

# LINCOLN UNIVERSITY,

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THIS Institution of our Church is doing an important and necessary work for the Freedmen and for Africa. It is furnishing Christian Leaders, Educators, and thoroughly trained Ministers of the Gospel. Its Theological Instruction is, by its charter, under the control of the General Assembly. The following resolution was presented and adopted at the recent meeting in Saratoga Springs, N. Y. :—

“RESOLVED, That the Theological Department of Lincoln University should be strengthened by the full endowment of the chair of Hebrew and Sacred Literature, and by the partial endowment of the chair of Sacred Geography and Hebrew Archaeology, for both of which efforts are now making by the Trustees.”

There are *nine* classes—two Preparatory, four Academic, and three Theological—taught by the President, I. N. Rendall, D.D., and five Professors. The number of students this year is *one hundred and thirteen*, more than half of whom are candidates for the ministry. The Freshman class in College numbers *thirty-three*. The public buildings will accommodate *two hundred* students. A large number of approved and talented young men, without means of support in study, are waiting to enter. Its invested funds provide quite inadequately for four Professors, and for about a dozen students. Hon. W. E. Dodge, one of the Trustees, says, “We ought to be able to send out not less than *fifty*, and, after a little, a class of *one hundred*, every year. Why should we not have a *thousand* students there?” Its history, which covers the 22 years past, is a marvellous record of healthy growth in poverty and neglect. With sufficient means, and good care from the friends of the Negro, how much more might be done! It has matriculated over *five hundred* students. It has graduated *one hundred and thirty*. *Sixty-four* are ordained ministers of evangelical churches, a few of whom are settled in the Northern States, several in the Foreign Field, but chiefly in the South.

Dr. I. Prime, editor of the *New York Observer*, says, “If good and benevolent men have *thousands* to bestow, here is the place for their thousands. If they have *hundreds* (or *tens*, even), let them give to educate these colored young men. It is a prudent investment. It will return profits to the giver fourfold. The hour now is to do something great, noble, and permanent for the colored people.”

Full information will be furnished, and contributions received, by .

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## BEQUESTS.

In the preparation of Wills, when it is desired to make Bequests to the General Assembly, or any of its Boards or Permanent Committees, care should be taken to insert the Corporate Name, as known and recognized in the Courts of Law. Bequests for the

**General Assembly** should be made to “The Trustees of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.”

**Board of Home Missions**,—to “The Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, incorporated April 19th, 1872, by Act of the Legislature of the State of New York.”

**Board of Foreign Missions**,—to “The Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.”

**Board of Church Erection**,—to “The Board of Church Erection Fund of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, incorporated May 5th, 1871, by the Legislature of the State of New York.”

**Board of Publication**,—to “The Trustees of the Presbyterian Board of Publication.”

**Board of Education**,—to “The Board of Education of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.”

**Board of Relief**,—to “The Presbyterian Board of Relief for Disabled Ministers and the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Ministers.”

**The Committee on Freedmen** is not incorporated. Bequests for their Treasury may be made to “The Trustees of the General Assembly,” as above, “For the use of the Presbyterian Committee of Missions for Freedmen.”

**N. B.**—If Real Estate be given by will, let it be carefully described.

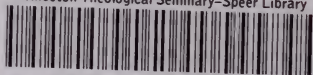




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